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GERMANS ADVANCE FIVE MILES IN AISNE DRIVE

Army of Crown Prince Push On Rapidly After Crossing River.

The Germans, striking south from the Chemin-Des-Dames, after carrying that important ridge in the opening of their new offensive yesterday, have pushed on rapidly and effected a crossing of the Aisne river between Vailly and Berry-Au-Bac.

FIVE MILE GAIN ON TWENTY MILE FRONT.

This represents a front of nearly twenty miles along which the armies of the crown prince engaged in this great drive have crossed the Aisne. In addition, they have apparently pushed at some points some distance south of the river and are striking for the river Vesle, which parallels the Aisne along the greater part of this front at an average distance of about five miles.

The Vesle, at its most southerly point in this sector, is approximately ten miles from the German point of departure, but the German penetration is apparently considerably short of this depth

FRENCH BEAR BURDEN

The battle is continuing fiercely along the whole Aisne front today, the brunt of it being borne by the French, before whose lines there was seemingly the greatest concentration for the enemy effort. The French communication is excellent on this sector, however, and the probability is that reserves are speedily being sent up to the threatened points to place before the Germans a force that can effectively stop them.

BRITISH ON 12 MILE FRONT

The British when the battle started apparently were holding a line approximately twelve miles long between Bermicourt, seven miles northwest of Rheims and Craonelle across the Aisne to the northwest the line straddling the Aisne at about midway this distance, near Berry-Au-Bac.

There is no indication that the British right flank was materially affected by the shock. The left flank however, felt the effect of the impact upon the French front further west, where a crossing of the Aisne was forced, and the British left was obliged to fall back in conformity.

BRITISH LINE SOUTH OF AISNE

The British line to the west of Berry-Au-Bac, is now wholly south of the Aisne, according to the indications in today's official statements

FLANDERS ATTACK

The German attack in Flanders was evidently a subsidiary affair, not even on the scale of some of the previous offensives there, although there was an extremely heavy concentration of troops for the limited front attacked

The French bore the brunt of this blow and repulsed it with the loss of scarcely any ground, the Germans succeeding only in pushing in something like a half mile south of Dickebusch Lake, about four miles southwest of Ypres

HEAVY HUN LOSSES IN NORTH

This morning the British and French made a counter attack in this sector which was progressing well at latest advices and promised to turn the whole German effort on the northern front into a complete failure which had cost the enemy heavily

Military opinion seems to be swaying between the view that the southerly attack now being pressed by the Germans between Soissons and Rheims, is the main enemy effort in the assumption of his offensive, or whether he is planning to deal an even greater blow at the Amiens front, where his first great stroke was delivered this spring

DRIVE ON PARIS

In view of the persistence with which the Germans are now following up their early success in storming the Chemin-Des-Dames and forcing the Aisne crossings it seems probable that the former opinion will gain strength and that a determined following up of the enemy effort in the shape of a drive for Paris will be looked for

ALLIED LOSSES BALANCED.

Gains by the armies of the German crown prince on the Aisne front have been balanced in part by the sanguinary repulses of further attempts to push forward southwest of Ypres. In prepared second line positions along the Aisne the Franco-British forces are offering strong resistance to the Germans.

POSSIBILITIES.

Although the Germans attacked on the southern flank on a front of 35 miles in great strength, it is not yet clear what is behind the operation. Probably several days will pass before the situation is defined clearly. Two possibilities stand out—the Germans felt it necessary to widen the elbow about Montdidier, or that it was feared General Foch might begin a counter offensive toward Laon. Nor is it unlikely that the attacks on the extremities of the nearly 200 mile line are feints for a stupendous movement toward Amiens

SUFFERED HEAVILY.

In gaining the heights north of the Aisne and the famous Chemin-Des-Dames the Germans suffered most heavily. The region over which they have advanced thus far is one of the most battle-scarred in France. If the crown prince hoped to crush the French and separate them from the British at Berry-Au-Bac, he failed, as contact between the Allied forces has been maintained throughout the fighting. How far the Germans advanced on the extreme ends of the new fighting front is not defined clearly, but in the center they on Monday reached the region north of Pont Arcy on the Aisne, a four mile advance, and later crossed the river

HURLED BACK.

Along the six mile front from Loere to Voormezeele on the Flanders battlefield, the French hurled the enemy back with great losses and still hold tenaciously to the positions protecting the ridge running westward from Mont Kemmel, near Voormezeele, where the French have taken over the line from the British, heavy fighting continues around Dickebusch Lake, where the Germans penetrated the Allied line

NORTH OF THE SOMME

Meanwhile, there is very intense artillery fire from north of the Somme to the Avre in Picardy. The Germans have made no attacks here, except for strong raids against the Allied lines, especially the American sector west of Montdidier. The Americans threw back the Germans in a counter attack after fighting in which the enemy suffered severe losses and prisoners were taken by the Americans

ITALIANS ATTACK AND GAIN

Renewal of heavy fighting in northern France is coincident with a successful Italian thrust against the Austro-Hungarian positions in the mountains of the western Trentino. In addition to gaining important height positions the Italians captured nearly 900 prisoners and much war material Austrian attacks south of Asiago have been repulsed by the Italians Elsewhere on the front from Stelvio to the Adriatic there has been little activity.

Win Enough Ground To Bury Dead

Paris, May 28.—The results of the first day of the long-expected German offensive are considered in competent French quarters as satisfactory. By paying the price, it is contended, it was inevitable that the enemy could gain ground.

After the terrific strug throughout the day of yesterday the Germans at a ruinous cost advanced at the farthest point three and a half miles.

ALLIED LINE INTACT.

Military officials say the enemy has won enough ground to bury his dead and that is all. At no point has the Entente Allied line been pierced. In close contact with the foe it has moved back step by step, according to schedule, giving General Foch all the time he needs to place his reserves—those reserves whose whereabouts is an anxious mystery to the Germans—just where he wants them.

Official Bulletins

BRITISH.

London, May 28.—The official announcement follows:

"Continuous pressure was maintained by the enemy all day yesterday against the British troops engaged on the Aisne front and severe fighting is still taking place on the whole front of the British sector

"Toward the end of the day the weight of the enemy's attacks carried his troops across the river Aisne to the west of the British sector and compelled the left wing of our line to fall back. The enemy is developing his attacks in great strength along the whole of the Aisne battle front.

"On the Lys front local fighting was recommenced this morning in the area east of Dickebusche Lake.

"On the remainder of the British front a number of prisoners have been taken by our troops in successful raids carried out at different points during the night, and the artillery has been active on both sides."

FRENCH.

Paris, May 28.—The Germans last night crossed the Aisne between Berry-Au-Bac and Vailly, it is announced officially. The battle continues fiercely between the Vesle and Aisne rivers.

AMERICAN.

Washington, May 28.—Another section of General Pershing's communique of yesterday, made public today by the war department, said that an enemy bombardment and a gas attack on American advance positions in Picardy before daylight yesterday was repulsed by counter attacks. Two places in the American lines were penetrated. An attempted raid, accompanied by artillery fire in the Woevre also was repulsed. There were gas attacks in Lorraine yesterday.

Foe's Object Not Yet Clear

[By Associated Press]

WITH THE FRENCH ARMY IN FRANCE Monday, May 27— Whether or not the German attack north of the Aisne is merely a demonstration in force with the object of drawing the Allied reserves, cannot be gathered from the opening stages of the fighting.

ONE POSSIBILITY

The length of the front between the flanks on the attacking line seems to imply a great effort on the part of the enemy to capture territory in order to claim victorious progress immediately after starting and thus improve the morale of the German public.

Both the French and British troops are fighting with the greatest energy and bravery, the officers and men working together in absolute harmony

WERE PREPARED.

The Allied commanders have the situation well in hand, and had prepared to meet an attack in this region. The Allies hold a series of commanding hills and the western flank is hilly with deep valleys

JOHN P. WHITE TO REPRESENT GARFIELD

Washington, May 28. — John P. White, former president of the United Mine Workers of America, and at present labor adviser to the fuel administration has been appointed representative of Fuel Administrator Garfield on the labor policy board, according to announcement today.

Start Fierce Counter Attack

[By Associated Press.]

WITH THE BRITISH ARMY IN FRANCE, May 28 — British and French troops this morning launched a counter attack in Flanders, east of Dickebusch Lake The attack began well Success could make the enemy's assault of yesterday a complete and costly failure.

In yesterday's attack in Flanders between Locre and Voormezeele, the Germans are believed to have employed four divisions on one part of this front measuring 6,000 yards.

The enemy troops were punished so severely that the French on the right flank did not even get to close quarters with them

Americans Beat Off Foe

[By Associated Press.]

AMERICAN HEADQUARTERS ON THE FRENCH FRONT, Monday, May 27.—In the simultaneous attack of three German raiding parties against the American positions in Picardy today the enemy penetrated the American first line to a depth of two hundred yards.

A brilliant counter attack threw the Germans out, and the Americans kept on until they had entered the enemy first line, where they remained until ordered back.

The Germans suffered heavily in the fighting, which was of a hand-to-hand nature at times. Several prisoners were taken by the Americans.

After a lull of several days the artillery bombardment in Picardy has become more intense on both sides. The Germans are throwing many gas shells into the American lines, the American gunners, however, returning the enemy fire two-fold.

Italians Captur 433 Prisoners

Rome, May 28.—Italian troops on Monday night broke into the Austro-German defenses at Capo Sile, on the lower Piave front, to a depth of 750 yards The Italians captured 433 prisoners.

German Raiders Attack Americans

[By Associated Press]

WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY IN FRANCE, Monday, May 27.—German raiding troops attacked the Americans in the Luneville sector this morning. In sharp fighting the raiders lost five men killed. The Americans suffered some casualties.

HUN AIR RAID ON PARIS AGAIN FAILS

Paris, May 28.—German aviators attempted last night to raid Paris. They dropped bombs in the suburbs, but were prevented from flying over the city.

TEN PLANES IN RAID

The announcement follows:

"Last night about ten enemy airplanes, which were flying toward Paris, were reported by our lookout stations. An alarm was given at 10:32 p. m., and anti-aircraft batteries threw up a curtain of fire

"Several bombs were thrown on the more remote suburbs. No enemy machine flew over Paris. The 'all clear' signal was given at 11:45 p. m.

150,000 U. S. WORKERS NOW IN WASHINGTON

Washington May 28—The discovery that there are now 150,000 government workers in Washington has been made incidental to the recreation census conducted by the war camp community, and it rather rather startled the census takers.

The census is to ascertain the names, addresses here and at home, and recreational preferences of each one, so that a comprehensive program of sports may be arranged for the summer—for the war workers are not to have a vacation longer than one week at a time.

TO WRECK AMERICAN HOSPITALS

[By Associated Press]

WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY IN FRANCE, Monday, May 27. — What was apparently a deliberate attempt to wreck American hospitals in the rear of the American lines in Picardy occurred Sunday afternoon when the Germans hurled high explosive and gas shells within a few hundred yards of two hospitals. Fortunately no damage was done.

HOLDING FUNERALS.

By a coincidence, the bombardment was going on while American funerals were being held. Several shells fell a short distance from one funeral party, but the ceremony was not disturbed.

German attempts to carry the warfare to American sick and wounded began about ten days ago when, with the advent of a new moon, enemy airplanes circled over the little villages where it has long been known the hospitals were located, and dropped bombs. Several civilians were injured in a recent air raid, while not far from the American hospitals They were asleep when the attack began, feeling secure in their proximity to the hospitals.

CAUSES INDIGNATION.

Much indignation has been caused among the soldiers and civilians over the air raids and Sunday's bombardment. It was not the fault of the Germans that those in the hospitals were not killed and wounded as were those in the British hospitals in Flanders recently.

The only comment of the sick and wounded American soldiers is that they want to get out as soon as the doctors will permit so as to strike back at the Huns

BIG GUN KILLS THREE.

Paris, Monday, May 27.—Three persons were killed and 14 injured in the bombardment of Paris today by the German long range gun.

One shell burst in a crowded street in front of a tramway station. Three women were getting into a car. One was killed and the others injured Several persons within the car, one a child, were injured.

300 CASUALTIES.

London, May 28.—Andrew Bonar Law, the government leader in the house of commons today told the lower house of parliament that 300 casualties of hospital cases had been caused by the bombing of British hospitals in France by German aviators.

Andrew Bonar Law, also announced that, he had no intention, at present of making any statement regarding affairs in Ireland

144 MILLIONS FOR RED CROSS

Washington, May 28.—With many eleventh hour subscriptions yet to be tabulated the second war fund of the Red Cross early today totalled $144,000,000, an over-subscription of $44,000,000 in the week's campaign which ended last midnight. Officials today hazarded predictions that the total might approach the $150,000,000 mark.

Tabulations early today showed that every division with the exception of the central, had passed its quota and every state, except Illinois had raised more than its allotment. Heavy over-subscriptions in Iowa, Nebraska, Wisconsin and Michigan, brought the central division to within $300,000 of its $13,800,000 quota, and it was thought final reports would show the division had raised its share.

GENERAL WOOD SEEKS ACTION

Washington, May 28.—Major General Leonard Wood's request that he be given more active duty than as commander of the western department, it was understood today, will be granted by the war department, and the general will be assigned to train another division of troops, probably at Camp Funston.

General Wood's detachment from command of the 88th division at Camp Funston which will go overseas and his assignment as commander of the western department became known yesterday.

At a conference yesterday with Secretary Baker, General Wood requested that if he could not be sent abroad he at least be given active work to do. This request, it is understood, will be granted

General Wood was to see President Wilson late today.

35,000 CHICAGO LUTHERANS IN ARMY

Chicago, May 28.—More than 35,000 men have gone to war from families in the Lutheran church, and more than $35,000,000 was subscribed to the third Liberty loan, according to figures given out today by the Illinois district of the Missouri synod of the Lutheran church in convention here. In response to a resolution of loyalty and support for the government a telegram of thanks was received from President Wilson.

GIVE UP WHEAT FOOD, APPEAL

Chicago, May 28.—Another appeal to eliminate the use of wheat or wheat products in every form until the next harvest was issued by Harry A Wheeler, state food administrator, today by direction of Herbert C. Hoover.

A wheat bread ration is required often by persons doing heavy labor, or by invalids, but it is urged that all others should absolutely refrain until the new harvest, which promises to be a bountiful one. Persons who live sedentary lives are called upon to give up wheat in order to keep the rations of soldiers up to requirements.

IOWA DRAFTED MAN SHOT BY GUARD

St. Louis, Mo., May 28.—B S Fuller, a drafted man from Polk county, Iowa, was shot in the back and killed at Jefferson Barracks by a soldier guard last night as he attempted to flee, according to an announcement today by Colonel George K. Hunter, commandant at the post.

AT GRAVES OF AMERICANS

French Women Pay Tributes and Show Affection.

[By Associated Press.]

WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY IN FRANCE, Monday, May 27.—Aged French women in the villages in the rear of the American sector in Picardy have asked and received permission to take care of one or more graves of American soldiers. This tribute is all the more impressive because it comes from peasant women, most of whom have been robbed of their husbands and sons by the war.

The affection with which the villagers regard the Americans is most pathetic at times. The difficulty of languages is swept aside and the villagers share the American sorrows and joys. In the villages where American troops are billeted, and which are in constant danger from enemy shells, the Americans share their gas masks with the peasants and teach them how to use them.

PEASANTS FIGHT FOOD COLLECTORS

[By Associated Press.]

Moscow, Thursday, May 23.—Opposition by the peasants in the Ukraine against the Germans and the Russians supporting the Central powers is extending rapidly .

The peasants are firing forests, destroying buildings and otherwise hindering the work of German bands trying to commandeer food. The Germans have been forced to send additional troops into Poltava, where rioting is reported to be most serious

The peasants have organized large detachments and are armed with machine guns and rifles The Germans are using artillery to suppress the rioting.

DON COSSACK'S MINISTRY.

Amsterdam, May 28. — Press dispatches from Rostov-on-the-Don, as forwarded by way of Kiev, report that a new ministry has been formed by the Don Cossacks under General Bogayevsky, who succeeded the leadership when General Kaledines committed suicide.

INTEREST IN PARLIAMENT

London, May 28.—Parliament re-assembled today after a short Whitsuntide vacation. Although the business formally set for discussion was not exciting, the members met in keen anticipation of some official utterance regarding the alleged German-Irish plot and the arrests of Sinn Feiners.

Irish nationalist members have not returned to London, and it is understood they will not appear at Westminster until after an important party meeting at Dublin on Thursday, when the question of the date for their return will be discussed But in their absence certain liberal members have decided to question the government, their desire being to ascertain especially whether the government proposed to bring the prisoners to trial and whether any evidence of the plot would be divulged.

ENGINE EXPLODES, ONE DEAD, 2 HURT

Nashville, May 28.—Fireman Fred Cagle of Gorham, Ill., was killed and two other persons were injured when a freight engine on the Illinois Southern railroad exploded last night as it entered the city.

Engineer Edward McCulley, of Sparta, head brakeman, who were riding in the engine, were injured, but will recover.

TENMORE STEEL SHIPS COMPLETED

Washington, May 28. — Ten steel vessels, totalling 63,455 tons, were completed for the shipping board in the week ending May 25. There were eighteen launchings during the week of a total tonnage of 109,700.

FLYER KILLED IN FALL IN TEXAS

San Antonio, Tex., May 28.—Flying Cadet Paul M Corrie of Minneapolis, was killed in a fall in an airplane last night near San Antonio.

MEMBERSHIP TO WAR ORDER TO WILSON

Washington, May 28.—Honorary membership in the Military Order of Foreign Wars of the United States was conferred upon President Wilson today by a committee of the New York Commandery.

Some News In Summary

Newport News, Va.—Master of a British steamer arriving here last Wednesday reports he fired five shots at a submarine 150 miles off the Virginia Capes. (Navy department officials believe a bit of wreckage was mistaken for submersible.)

Des Moines, Ia.—Theodore Roosevelt in an address here Monday night declared English "the sole language for schools, newspapers and other usage."

New York—Salvation Army's campaign for $1,000,000, nets $2,257,334 for war relief.

Washington—In a telegram to the president, the American labor mission, now abroad, urges greater food conservation in order that the Allied armies and people may be fed.

An Atlantic Port — The United States submersible H-14 arrived here equipped with a false wooden bow after ramming her mother ship 800 miles at sea The crew of the submarine stayed at their posts and succeeded in righting the vessel after the collision without the loss of a man.

Dead And Wounded

Washington, May 28.—The army casualty list to day contained 38 names, divided as follows Killed in action, 7; died of wounds, 1, died of drowning, 1, died of disease 5, wounded severely 18, missing in action, 6. The list

KILLED IN ACTION.

Major Raoul Lufbery, Dieppe France.
Sergeant Carl LeForge, Flemingsburg, Ky.
Corporal Christian S Anderson, Spencer, Ia.
Privates
Arthur S. Cook Chicago
James P. McKinney, Batesville, Ark.
David D Nehrenberg Drake N. .
Ezra Woods New Milford, Conn.

DIED OF WOUNDS.

Private Joseph Ash Lawrence, Mass.

DIED OF DISEASE.

Corporal Alexander Dodge, Algoniac, Mich
Privates
Jerome Burton, Salada, S. C
Alfred A. Ferguson New York
Walter P. Tennesey Scranton, Ia
William Roe, Russell, Kan.

DIED OF DROWNING.

Private Mike Shade Makarova, Russia

WOUNDED SEVERELY.

Sergeant E. F. Pettis, Gordo, Ala.
Corporals
John G. Flynt, Mount Olive, Miss.
O. D. Ockerman, Kolsen, Ind.
Arthur H. Quick, Kansas City, Mo.
Wagoner Dexter J. Le Clair, Albany, N. Y.
Privates
Foster R. Barry, McKeesport Pa.
Timothy J. Callaghan, Gortdaring Ireland.
Roy R. Carter Punxutawney, Pa.
James A. Holland, Brooklyn.
A. M. Hubbard, New Haven Conn
William Kearns, Morris Park, N Y
Omar E. Lahue St Joseph Mo,
Herbert J. Lewis, Malden, Mass
Ben Moate, Oglesby, Tex.
Herman H. Reich Bloomer, Wis.
Samuel Schwartz, Chicago.
Jan Spelnk, Detroit, Mich.
Michael T. Wilman, Ashland, Wis.

MISSING IN ACTION.

Lieut. Walter B Schaefer, 137 Soth Ward St Ottumwa, Ia.
Privates
Frank J. Aliano, Bristol, Conn.
Raymond C. Kirby, New Haven, Conn.
Anton Linhart, Bee Neb.
Charles M. McGovern, Charleston Mass.
Clarence Mitchell St Louis, Mo.

FLAG DAY PROCLAMATION

Springfield, May 28.—Gov Frank O. Lowden issued a proclamation last night designating Friday, June 14, as Flag day, and urging a universal observance of the day throughout the state.

His proclamation reads in part as follows:

"One of the great gains that has come to us out of the great war is a rebirth of passion for the flag. Our soldiers salute it, our civilians uncover before it with new reverence We now know that though we may not have appreciated it in the long years of peace, it was the protector all the time of everything that was dear to us. Only now, when the armies of autocracy and brute force seek to drive it from the sky, do we realize that our flag is the sacred guaranty of all we cherish most.

"We are again about to celebrate Flag day. Upon that day, let all our people—men and women, boys and girls, even little children—devote some part of the day to the special honoring of the flag Let them feel that the failure of our country and all mankind would be dark indeed if it should go down before our brutal foe. We will then resolve anew that our flag shall retain its place in the firmament at whatever cost."

RUSH TRAINING AT CAMP GRANT

Rockford, Ill., May 28.—Extraordinary activity prevails at Camp Grant Major C. H Martin rushes about the cantonment urging redoubled efforts to get the new men into shape as soldiers The commander has ordered non-coms in charge of the recruits to begin drilling at once, "and then some."

"Teach them squads right while they wait," he ordered. "They are the kind that must use every minute in this camp. I want these new recruits in shape for the battle line in just six weeks. Drill them from morning until night and give them lectures during their meals This is a big job, but you will find these men ready for it."

CALL FOR HUGE COAL OUTPUT

735 Million Tons Must Be Mined in Year to Meet Demands.

Philadelphia, May 28.—The production of coal in the United States for the year beginning April 1 must reach 735,000,000 net tons, J. D. A Morrow, general director of distribution of the United States fuel administration today told the national coal association in convention here. This means an increase of 55,000,000 tons over the production for the coal year 1917, if the war demands of the country are to be met.

FALLS ON BITUMINOUS MINES

It is doubtful, Mr Morrow said, if the production of anthracite coal can be increased over last year's total of 89,000,000 gross tons Therefore, the entire 85,000,000 tons must come from the bituminous mines.

UNUSUAL HEAVY DEMAND.

A survey of the war demand for coal by the United States fuel administration has shown that the country will require during the present coal year 635,000,000 net tons of bituminous coal, Mr. Morrow said. During the last coal year the bituminous coal production was 551,000,000 net tons.

To meet these requirements it will be necessary to maintain an average weekly production of 12,600,000 tons of bituminous. This quantity has not been produced in any single week in the history of the bituminous coal industry The record week's production was 11,825,000 tons.

The output of the bituminous mines for April, the first month of the new coal year, was 47,000,000 tons. Should this rate of production be maintained throughout the year, the total output would be about 564,000,000 tons. Under the present estimates of necessary consumption, the country at this rate of production would face a bituminous coal shortage of 71,000,000 tons Mr. Morrow said;

"We must, therefore, look to the bituminous mines for 85,000,000 tons more coal than their record output. You men ask immediately 'can the railroads furnish the transportation to produce this tonnage?' That is a question that the railroad administration must answer. Our distribution managers and directors are in daily conference with railroad officials to insure the best use of transportation in moving coal. Therefore, it behooves the operators to stand prepared to deliver this coal should the roads prove able to haul it."

PLAN CHANGES IN ORDNANCE FORCE

Washington, May 28.—Changes in the organization of the ordnance department of the army to permit increased efficiency in divisions charged with the execution of the ordnance program were announced today by Major General Wheeler, acting chief of ordnance.

Creation of an estimate and procurement division is the most important of the changes made. Hitherto the work of this branch has been carried on under the administrative division A new estimates and requirements division will be charged with administration of the men power program of the general staff.

TO INCREASE ARMY BANDS TO 50 PIECES

Washington, May 28. — The army general staff has ordered, on General Pershing's recommendation, that all regimental bands be increased from 28 to 50 pieces, a war department announcement today says Besides enlarging the bands, the announcement says, the general staff has decided to create a bugle and drum corps for every infantry regiment.

The Weather

Chicago, May 28 — Following are the weather indications for Illinois for 36 hours ending at 7 p m. Wednesday.

Showers tonight and Wednesday; not much change in temperature.

LOCAL OBSERVATIONS.

Following is the range of temperature as recorded by Prof. J. H. Conradt, United States weather observer

7 p m. Monday	74
7 a m. Tuesday	67
Noon Tuesday	87
Highest Monday	81
Lowest Tuesday	65
Sun rises (Standard time)	5:39
Sun sets	6:14

WEATHER MAP.

Chicago, May 28.—The weather map at 8 a m today showed

Canada Northwest—Generally clear; 36 to 44 above. Edmonton, .08, Battleford, .14

Northwest—Generally cloudy; 36 to 50 above. Duluth, .10, St. Paul, .04, Pierre, .01, Rapid City, .14; Huron, .01, Williston, heavy frost.

West—Cloudy; 46 to 66 above. Dubuque, .60 Chicago, .02, Charles City, .30; Peoria, .48 Ottawa, .40 Valentine, .04, Des Moines, .36, raining, Davenport, .70; North Platte trace.

Southwest—Generally clear 62 to 74 above Dodge City, .02, Kansas City, .24; Wichita, .72 Springfield, (Mo.) trace.

Ohio Valley—Part cloudy; 70 to 74 above.

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DECATUR GIRL'S MOTHER MISSING

In Part of France Taken by Germans.

SOLDIER SEARCHING

For Relatives of Miss Marie Strassier.

Miss Marie Strassier who is in the millinery department of the Stewart Dry Goods Co., is a native French girl and she came from the part of France which was first invaded by the Germans. Her old mother and her brother were living there when the war started and for a time she heard from her relatives but it will be two years in October now since she has had any word of any kind from her mother.

Miss Strassier however now has hopes that she will learn of the fate of her mother through an incident of kindness which shows how little things may return in large measure reward for good deeds done.

REMEMBERED SOLDIER

Last Christmas Miss Strassier saw a list of names of soldiers in a Chicago paper who were reported to be without relatives to remember them on the great holiday and Miss Strassier made up a Christmas box and sent it to one of these motherless soldiers in camp enclosing a note saying that she had no one in this country with whom she could share her Christmas and that she had taken the liberty of sharing it with him. She sent the soldier a sweater and other articles in addition to the usual smokes and sweets and some time later received a letter thanking her for the Christmas remembrance.

Since then Miss Strassier has occasionally heard from the soldier and the latest letter has brought great joy to her because it came from France and her American soldier has written to her that he is stationed in the neighborhood where her mother and brother formerly lived and that he would make every possible effort to learn whether or not they are alive and where they are now located.

SUN'S ECLIPSE TO BE VISIBLE HERE

Surface 80 Percent Obscured on June 8.

Decatur may be more than 100 per cent in its relation to war loans and the Red Cross, but it is only 80 per cent when it comes to the total eclipse of the sun, which will be the unusual spectacle of Saturday afternoon, June 8.

The eclipse will begin at 5 27 o'clock on that afternoon, will reach its middle at 6 30, and will end at 7 37. This schedule is by the present daylight-saving time. The almanacs, prepared last winter, show the time as an hour earlier throughout.

ARE TOO EXCLUSIVE.

This eclipse is heralded as a total eclipse of the sun, but total eclipses are very exclusive affairs. They do not make all the large cities as the circuses do, and they do not sell state rights after the fashion of the movies. Usually they do not manifest themselves in this country at all preferring to be seen from the Andes or the South Sea Islands.

This total eclipse will travel a diagonal patch across the United States, from Aberdeen, Wash., in the Northwest, to Orlando, Fla., in the Southeast. The principal places located in the totality belt are Portland Ore., Denver, Fort Smith Ark., and Jackson, Miss.

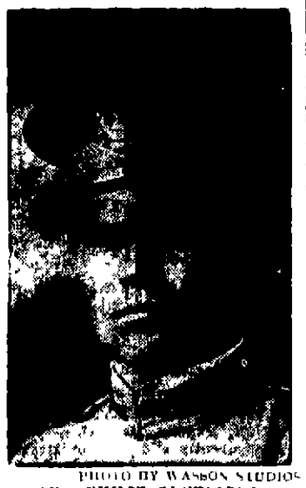
SHADOW BY MOON

The totality belt is 167 miles wide. It represents the shadow cast by the moon, which in its travels around the earth awkwardly gets in between the earth and the sun at that time.

An eclipse is one of the most uncertain of shows. A total eclipse of the moon scheduled for the midnight hours of Dec. 27-28 last kept some scientists out of their beds on a very cold night and then was shut off from view by clouds.

However it will be dark in the totality belt whether the sky is cloudy or clear.

ARMY CAPTAIN VISITS DECATUR



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CAPT. PHILIP OVERSTREET

Two years ago he was delivering groceries in Decatur. He became interested in army work, studied for and passed an examination for commission.

"THE PERSHING" MAY BE CAFE NAME

R. W. Heady to Change the Mannheim; It's Too German.

How would "The Pershing" sound instead of "The Mannheim?" R. W. Heady is getting a flood of suggestions for a new name for one of the cafes which he owns, the one on East main street which has been known as the Mannheim for thirty years. "The American" has been commonly suggested and many others including the name of the general in command of the United States forces in France. Other generals, presidents and famous men in American history have been suggested to Mr. Heady.

He says that he will get all of the suggestions together soon and he will then invite the mayor of Decatur and two newspaper men to a dinner and he will put it up to the three of them to select a name to take the place of the German name which has been used for nearly a third of a century.

WARRENSBURG BOYS ENLIST IN THE NAVY

Warrensburg, May 28.—Harry Whanton, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Whanton, has enlisted in the navy. He will leave here to go in training the latter part of the week.

Glen Dickerson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dickerson, has enlisted in the navy. He will go into training soon.

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Major spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Elwood McKinley of Forsyth.

The Red Men lodge gave a dance in their hall Saturday evening.

The Standard Bearers Society of the M. P. church gave a strawberry and ice cream social on the church lawn Saturday evening.

The farmers of this vicinity have been planting corn and it is in fine condition.

Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Major and son Robert visited here Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Abston.

Celebrates Birthday.

Opal Huff, 808 W. Grand celebrated her fifteenth birthday Monday afternoon with a party in honor of the occasion. The young people played games and had a very delightful time. Ice cream and cake were served at the close of the party. Miss Huff received many delightful gifts. There were about fifteen present.

ITCHING ECZEMA CAUSED AGONY

Burning So Intense Scratched. Face Disfigured. In Five Weeks Completely

HEALED BY CUTICURA SOAP AND OINTMENT

"I was troubled with eczema which started in a mild pimply form. It grew worse until my body, head and face were a mass of sore eruptions. The itching and burning was so intense that I irritated it by scratching, until my clothing aggravated the eruption. I suffered untold agony and my face was disfigured.

"A friend told me to try Cuticura Soap and Ointment, and I began to use them. In five weeks I was completely healed." (Signed) F. M. Twinam, 316 S. Second St., Columbus, O.

You may rely on Cuticura to care for your skin, scalp, hair and hands. Nothing better to clear the skin of pimples and blotches, the scalp of dandruff and the hands of chapping. Besides the Soap has no superior for all toilet uses.

Sample Each Free by Mail. Address postcard: "Cuticura, Dept. R, Boston." Sold everywhere. Soap 25c. Ointment 25 and 50c.

THE TRUTH ABOUT ECZEMA AND PILES

Thousands and thousands of people, says Peterson, are learning every week that one 50 cent box of Peterson Ointment will abolish Eczema and banish piles, and the grateful letters I receive every day are worth more to me than money.

I had Eczema for many years on my head and could not get anything to do it any good. I saw your ad and got one box and I owe you many thanks for the good it has done me. There isn't a blotch on my head now, and I couldn't help but thank Peterson, for the cure is great. Mrs. Mary Hill, 410 Third Avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa.

I have had itching piles for 15 years and Peterson's is the only ointment that relieves me, besides the piles seem to have gone. A. B. Ruger, 1187 Washington Avenue Racine, Wis.

Use Peterson's Ointment for old sores, salt rheum and all skin diseases. It banishes pimples and blackheads in less than 10 days and leaves the skin clean, clear and pleasant to look upon. Druggists guarantee it.

200 GIRLS TO WORK IN PLANT

First of Them Begin at Mueller Co.

Girl munition workers started to work Monday at the new Mueller factory at the corner of Mercer and West Cerro Gordo street. Only a few girls started at the lathes that day but it is expected that soon the entire building which is filled with ranks of machines, will be occupied by girls making parts of shells for the fighters who are going across to France by thousands every day.

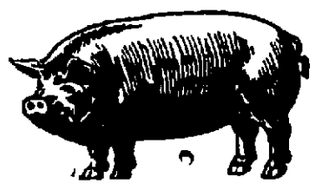
It is expected that 200 or more girls will be employed in this building which is clean, light and airy. The building has only recently been completed and the installation of the machines was finished only the other day.

WENT THROUGH BARRACKS IN HURRY

Decatur's Draft Men Assigned to Other Camps.

The Decatur and Macon county draft men who went to Jefferson barracks last Thursday have already gone on their way to a southern camp. A Decatur man who was in St. Louis Sunday saw them go. They have received their uniforms and other equipment and their shot in the arm and were sent out of St. Louis Sunday afternoon. The Decatur men did not know to what camp they were being sent.

"Pigs is Pigs"



Mr. Hoover says "We need more pork" —what we need—we must have.

"The Bank With a Warm Atmosphere"

Farmers & Merchants State Bank

Second Pig Club is being started—Open for any boy or girl who wants to raise and fatten a pig—or raise pigs.

The boy or girl who wants a little pig costing $5—$10 or more, can make arrangements to get one if they will call at the Farmers and Merchants State Bank for particulars.

John R. Pogue, Pres. | Frank E. Harrold, Cashier | W. Elmer White, Asst. Cashier

SWIFT & COMPANY U.S.A.

The Farmer's Share

Live stock is marketed from farmer to consumer at a lower cost than almost any other farm product.

The United States Department of Agriculture reported in 1916 that the farmer gets for his cattle "approximately two-thirds to three-fourths" of the final retail price paid by the consumer for the resulting beef.

Under normal conditions, the farmer's share of retail prices of various farm products is approximately as follows:

Butter	71 per cent
CATTLE	66⅔ to 75 per cent
Eggs	65 per cent
Potatoes	55 per cent
Poultry	45 per cent
Fruits	35 per cent

The difference between farmer's price and retail price represents the necessary expenses of packing, freight and wholesale and retail distribution.

Swift & Company not only performs the manufacturing operations of preparing cattle for market in its well-equipped packing plants, but it pays the freight on meat to all parts of the United States, operates 500 branch distributing houses, and in most cases even delivers to the retail butcher. All this is done at an expense of less than 2 cents per pound, and at a profit of only about ¼ of a cent per pound of beef.

Large volume of business and expert management, make possible this indispensable service to the live-stock raiser and to the consumer, and make possible the large proportion of retail prices received by farmers.

Year Book of interesting and instructive facts sent on request. Address Swift & Company, Union Stock Yards, Chicago, Illinois

Swift & Company, U. S. A.

Considering the Quality Whittall Rugs are the Cheapest Made.

Linn & Scruggs DRY GOODS & CARPET COMPANY

Aerolux Shades and Bozart Rugs, with a Nice Porch Swing Make Unsurpassable Porch Comfort

Summer Conveniences and Necessities of Fashion and Utility

Purses, Manicure Sets, Etc.

Our line of Purses, Bags and other merchandise in leather, is very large and attractive and contains many items that will make splendid gifts for the bride or the graduate. Among other things there is a beautiful showing of **Back Strap Purses**, beautifully made from pin seal, morocco and other leathers. They are made on a good strong frame, and some of them have double compartments which are very convenient for carrying bills. Prices are for each $1.59 to $12.00.

Manicure Sets in black and colored Ecrisse leather cases, fitted with ivory toilet articles. Nice folding and very compact cases at each $2.00 to $9.00.

Tourists' Tablets, in black and colored Ecrisse leather cases, have compartments to carry envelopes, stamps, pencil and detachable pad, very convenient for the traveler at each $1.50 to $4.00.

Veils and Boudoir Caps

The "Thrift Veil"—This is the new veil for summer and is the latest Van Raalte creation. They are durable, washable, stylish and becoming and we have them in white, black and colors. Ask to see them in the velling section. Each 59c.

Dainty Boudoir Caps, very excellent values in white and colors, some of them trimmed with lace. Choice for 25c.

Remnants of Printed and Inlaid Linoleums at half the original prices

R&G CORSETS

When you see these new models you will instantly realize why well-dressed women everywhere are choosing R. & G. Corsets this season.

It is a real achievement to make a corset that fits the average figure as perfectly as do our R. & Gs.

The longed for balance between comfort on one hand and correct appearance on the other, is struck by this year's R. & G. Models. Our Corsetieres are thoroughly experienced and reliable. Come in and let us prove it to you.

NICE 50-LB. MATTRESS, all cotton, full size, covered with Art Ticking. This is a mattress that usually sells at $15.00. Our price, while they last, is $9.50.

ALL BED PRICES REDUCED

Fashion's Second Stop

First stop is Fifth Avenue, New York, direct from the designer; second stop is the apparel section in this store. That is the limited, no stop service, made possible by our connection with the New York manufacturers of Verite Suits, whereby we weekly receive the latest styles—direct from that great center of fashions.

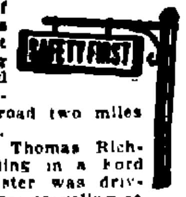
This week's Verite Suits—youthful in their splendid good looks—are a feast to the eye. Come in and see them.

The first of these handsome Suits combines Lesher-Whitman Minerva Plaid and Blue Bonnet and is designed with a straight plaited skirt of the plaid hung from a belt of the plain material. Raglan sleeves are possibly the most apparent detail of the semi-fitted jacket, yet at second glance you will realize that the belt, patch pockets, and graceful sailor collar, all bound with the plaid, contribute splendidly to the chic, fashionable appearance of the jacket. This suit is reasonably priced at $25.00.

A very unusual jersey cloth in a two-tone effect, was chosen for the second Verite suit, the trimming being a smart binding of taffeta in the dark color. The jacket of this suit is on semi-sports lines, loosely fitted with a slot plait at the center back. There is a long shawl collar that extends to the waist line where the jacket closes with one fastener, or it may be worn open. The belt laps and fastens at one side with smoked pearl buttons, and similar buttons trim the sides. There are the usual smart pockets on the jacket. A most attractive garment at each $35.00.

Very interesting is the cluster plaited skirt designed for the third suit of Lesher-Whitman Minerva Plaid and Blue Bonnet combination. These clusters consist of a box plait with two side plaits on each side. The jacket is of the popular open front style finished with a long revere collar and held in place by a belt that slips through slashes under the collar and fastens on the side. Effective pockets, close-fitting sleeves, cuff finished, complete this pleasing model at $25.00.

ARCOLA BOY HURT IN AUTO ACCIDENT



Arcola, May 28—Lucius Sylvester, 19-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Sylvester, of this city, was seriously hurt Sunday evening when a Ford automobile turned over in the road two miles south of Tuscola.

Sylvester and Thomas Richardson were riding in a Ford runabout. Sylvester was driving and the car was traveling at a fast rate of speed. They turned out of the road to pass another machine, attempted to dodge a telephone pole and the driver lost control. The runabout turned over a couple of times and pinioned Sylvester under it. The body of the car was across his chest.

No broken bones were found but severe bruises, an ugly looking cut or two and possibly internal injuries are feared. The young man has been spitting up blood which is regarded as an unfavorable symptom.

PULLEN GIRL DEAD

The funeral of Anite, twelve-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey W. Pullen, of this city, was held at the Arcola Christian church at 3 o'clock Monday afternoon, Rev. Frank B. Welton, officiating. Interment was in the Arcola cemetery.

The child was ill only a short time when her death occurred on Sunday morning. Pneumonia was the cause. She was born in this city Dec. 13, 1905.

ITALIANS CELEBRATE

A novel patriotic celebration was held in this city Friday afternoon. A force of about forty Italians are employed on the Pennsylvania lines east of Arcola. They planned to celebrate the anniversary of Italy's entry into the war and residents of this city co-operated and made the celebration one of considerable pretentions.

A band was brought here from Charleston which headed a procession in which there were several hundred school children from the grade schools, the Italian laborers and a long string of automobiles. This procession formed at the East Side school grounds and marched through Main street to the Red Cross headquarters where there was a program of music and orators.

Dr. G. H. Damron, Rev. L. F. Ellison, of the Arcola Baptist church, Rev. Father Costello, of St. John's Catholic church and other speakers addressed the crowd. Frank Jiunta, one of the laborers, made an address in the Italian language.

This band of Italians are a patriotic bunch. Each man in the group owns one or more Liberty bonds and they brought a donation of $37 to the Red Cross headquarters on Friday. In the parade they carried several banners. One read:

"No one works for Tony who is not loyal to the Allies."

This had reference to the foreman, Tony Garry, of New York, who is a patriotic American of Italian descent. A few weeks ago an Austrian, who was a member of the crew, refused to purchase a Liberty bond and was chased out of the camp. Another banner stated:

"One man was called to the colors yesterday."

Gross receipts of the home talent play, "Along Came Ruth," amounted to $626.25. There was something over $200 expense and the balance is to be given to the local Red Cross chapter.

The play pleased a large number of the big audience, most of whom declare it to be the best show yet given by the local dramatic club.

Henry and Frank Roedl returned Sunday afternoon from Kinmundy where they attended the funeral of their father, Frank Roedl, who died on Wednesday last at Oklahoma City, Okla., after a long illness from cancer of the stomach.

Ralph Ernst, was in the city today for the first time in eight weeks. During the greater part of that time he was a patient in Union hospital, Terre Haute, following a surgical operation which was not considered of much consequence at the time it was performed. However, infection developed and a long illness followed.

Mr. Ernst is the junior member of the firm of Ernst & Son, who have grain elevators in this city and at Galton.

EMPLOY TEACHERS IN ATWOOD SCHOOL

Atwood, May 23—The following teachers have been employed for next term at the grade school:

Principal—V. H. Shoemaker.

Assistant principal—Lena Gross.

Departmental — Helene Moore Westfield.

Third and fourth grades—Mildred Daly.

Second and third grades — Olive Goodson, Newman.

First and second grades—Lydia Biggs.

MRS. PRICHARD DEAD

Mrs. Lydia Prichard died at her home here Sunday night. She was the widow of Frank Prichard. She was about 50 years old. She is survived by four children, Miss Ella Brinkmyer, Tuscola, Mrs. Lou Kitts, Decatur, James, of Champaign and Elmer at home.

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Romine died at their home northeast of town Saturday. Death was caused by cholera-infantum.

The proceeds from the Barnhardt movie shows which were donated to the Red Cross Friday night amounted to $61.25. This will be applied to East Unity township second Red Cross fund. The auction sale will probably be next Saturday afternoon although no definite date has been set. Efforts are being made to secure an airplane to come for the afternoon.

Miss Ruth Eldridge of near Mt. Auburn and Lloyd Quick living north of town were married Sunday. The bride is the daughter of Rev. Mr. Eldridge, a former M. E. pastor here. The groom is the oldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Cary Quick. They went on an auto trip to visit relatives in Michigan after which they will live on a farm north of here.

Sol Shook went to Springfield Monday.

Memorial services were held at the Methodist church Sunday.

Prayer meeting will be held Thursday morning at the Methodist church at 8 o'clock. This is in compliance with President Wilson's proclamation for prayer for the victory in war.

Some of the Boy Scouts went on a bicycle trip last week. They left Monday and visited at Hammond, Lovington, Sullivan and Windsor, Mattoon, Arcola and Tuscola returning the latter part of the week.

F. O. Wood and wife went to Sullivan Saturday to visit relatives. On Sunday they motored to Shelbyville returning home Sunday evening.

Elmer Collins and wife of Lamar, Mo., have been the guests of J. E. Collins and wife.

"Young man, always wed an old maid," admonitorily said Deacon Teeters, who having married and buried five helpmeets, spoke from the depths of profound experience. "Girls are often holty-tolty, widows are apt to be high and mighty, but old maids are generally meek and thankful and anxious to please."

Your Next Wash Day

Spare your clothes the wear and tear of wash-board rubbing. Spare yourself the hours of needless back-breaking labor.

Delbare's Naptha Washing Tablets

Cleanse, sweeten and purify your clothes in 20 minutes. No rubbing, no wash-board snagging, no backache, no skinned knuckles or red, unsightly hands when the washing is done.

Your clothes will "turn out" more beautifully than you have ever seen them before, and not the slightest harm will result. *Delbare's Naptha Washing Tablets* contain nothing that can harm the finest or most delicate fabric. They save you time, money, labor, and *lengthen the life of your clothes.*

Enough for Four Weeks Washing At Grocers 15¢

GUARANTEE

Your complete satisfaction in the use of **Delbare's Naptha Washing Tablets** is absolutely guaranteed. Money back if you want it. You take no risk. Guarantee coupon in every package.

McClelland Grocer Co., Decatur, Ill. Exclusive Distributors.

"Economy Jim" Says—

there are hundreds of houses around town that need new spouting. Don't allow leaky guttering to damage your foundation walls and make damp, mustly basements.

We Repair or Replace Your Tinwork

using the best material and at the lowest possible cost.

Call us up—an estimate of cost on your work will cost you nothing.

Economy Hardware Store

Phone 609. **Gebhart Block.**

Two 69c Brassiers For $1
There are ten different trimmed Brassiers to select from and are well made and perfect fitting; in all sizes, 32 to 46 .... $1

The Stewart Dry Goods Co

DECATUR'S BUSY STORE — ALWAYS THE LOWEST PRICES
227-235 N. WATER ST. DECATUR, ILLS.

$1.50 Brassiers, $1
A wonderful selection of high grade perfect fitting Brassieres, some lace, others embroidery trimmed. Sizes 32 up to 48 ..... $1

Wednesday Another Great

Dollar Sale

Wednesday Dollar Day--When the Purchasing Power of Your Dollar in Many Instances Is Almost Doubled

Wonderful bargains are here offered for Stewart's Dollar Day Selling—that is a great opportunity for every woman to buy big values for less money, than can be offered again for a long time to come at the rate the prices are going up. COME WEDNESDAY! COME EARLY!

$1.59 Sateen Petticoats $1
They are Sateen with white background and have large yellow, blue and pink roses printed on same. Each with elastic top, and deep flounce. All lengths. $1

$1.50 Wash Skirts for $1
Tailored white gaberdines and pique wash dress skirts, trimmed with buttons and two pockets, waist bands 25 to 30, all lengths $1

$1.69 House Dresses for $1
Made of light colored and nurse stripe ginghams. They are the belted models with ¾ sleeves, sizes 36-38 to 40 only $1

$1.75 Envelope Chemise $1
Twenty-five dozen of these fine envelope chemese made of soft mull and lingerie cloth, lace trimmed front and back, all sizes up to 40 .... $1

Four 39c Dresses for $1
These dresses are in sizes 2 to 6 years and are made of fancy striped, checked and plain percales. Not over 4 dresses to any one customer
$1

Biggest Millinery Bargain of The Season
50 Colored Hats Worth up to $7
In small and medium sizes—just the hat you want for street wear or to use when you are out in the car riding. Trimmed with foliage, feathers and ribbons, great variety of shapes, special for Dollar Day........... $1

Two 69c Bloomers for $1
These Sateen Bloomers are well made and cut full, and may be had in both white and black. All sizes from 4 years up to 15 years.
$1

$1.50 White Blouses for $1
Fifty dozen new white Voile, lace and embroidery trimmed blouses. Some are plain tailored, others with large sailor collars. Sizes up to 46 .... $1

$1.75 Boys' Suits for $1
These two-piece boys wash suits are made of plain tan and blue Cambras, also black and white checked and striped ginghams. Sizes 3 to 6 years $1

$1.50 Night Gowns for $1
Ten different styles to select from in short sleeve slip overs and long sleeve and high necks, lace and embroidery trimmed; sizes 15, 16 to 17 .... $1

Two 75c Corset Covers $1
Fifty dozen new corset covers, made of soft finished cambrics or lawns, some lace others embroidery trimmed, sizes 36 to 46 .... $1

$1.50 Gingh'm Pettico'ts $1
Made of fine pink and blue Chambra Ginghams. The flounces trimmed with fancy striped ginghams to match—all lengths $1

Two 79c Middys for $1
They are made of fine Linsdale Twill, lace front. The collar, cuffs and pockets are trimmed with blue and tan. Sizes 14 to 38 .... $1

$1.50 Silk Camisoles for $1
Dainty lace trimmed Camisoles in flesh and white Crepe de Cygne and wash satins. Seven different models to select from. All sizes $1

$1.50 Bungalow Aprons $1
Twenty-five dozen well made and full cut Bungalow Aprons made of light and dark, figured and striped, percales. All sizes $1

$1.50 Pink Corsets for $1
They are made of pink Brocade Corset Jeans with wide elastic webbing and four hose supporters. Size 22 to 26 only $1

$1.75 Infants' Dresses $1
They may be had in 6 months, one and two year sizes, and are made of soft lawns and mulls trimmed with lace insertions and edgings $1

Two 79c Gowns for $1
They are lace-trimmed, slip-over gowns, made of Cambric Muslin. Sizes 15, 16, 17 and not over two to any one customer $1

$1.50 White Petticoats, $1
These white petticoats have a double panel both front and back and are scalloped embroidered edge. Ideal for summer wear $1

Special Men's Dress Shirts
Men's dress shirts with collars and without collars, French cuffs; in plain white and colors, shirts that are worth 79c and 89c. Special for this sale, two for $1

Special Crepe Collars
Beautiful imported organdy and Georgette Crepe collars that are worth $1.25 and $1.50. Special for dollar day $1

$1.50 Bed Pillows at $1
50 bed pillows filled with extra good quality of feathers, covered with good feather proof art ticking, sanitary and odorless, worth $1.50 each, this sale $1

39c Voile—4 yards for $1
10 pieces of nice soft white voile, 40 inches wide, worth regular 39c a yard, this sale—4 yards for $1

$1.50 French Serge for $1
Upwards of 20 pieces of 36 inch fine twill serges, colors black, navy, Copen, brown, Burgundy, Russian green, etc. Dollar day special $1

Two 69c Union Suits for $1
Women's fine spring weight union suits low neck styles with tight or lace knees. Regular 69c values Wednesday, two suits for $1

Men's Dress Shirts for $1
Men's $1.25 and $1.50 dress shirts with cuffs attached, all new patterns with French and laundered cuffs. Special for Wednesday $1

Sanitary Bed Pillows
50 sanitary bed pillows covered with a good quality of feather proof ticking, worth regular 75c each, this sale, two for $1

$1.35 Sheets Reduced to $1
25 dozen—72 by 90 bleached sheets, worth $1.35 each, this sale each $1

$1.50 Brilliantine priced $1
For one day, dollar day, 48 inch Oyster White Mohair, fine lustre finish for skirts, regular $1.50 seller $1

Three pairs Silk Hose $1
25 dozen pairs of women's silk boot hose in black only. Regular 50c values. Wednesday, three pairs for $1

$1.25 Silk Hose for $1.00
$1.25 ladies silk hose in black and white full fashioned with lisle tops and lisle soles special for dollar day $1

35c Pillow Cases—4 for $1
50 dozen bleached pillow cases worth regularly 35c each. This sale 4 for $1

25c Muslin—5 yards for $1
50 pieces of extra good 36 inch bleached muslin, worth regularly 25c a yard, this sale 5 yards $1

$1.50 Wool Taffeta for $1
Just two pieces of 42 inch all wool Taffeta, black and white checks—very fine quality for dresses and skirts, $1.50's worth for $1

Special Boys' Union Suits
Boys athletic union suits, made of checks and striped dimity regular 69c values—Dollar day—two for $1

$1.25 Umbrellas for $1.00
Women's and men's steel frame umbrellas with water and sun proof tops. Regular $1.25 values Dollar day $1

22c Huck Towels—6 for $1
50 dozen plain white huck towels, a very good weight worth regularly 22c each, for dollar day—6 for $1

25c Unb. Muslin, 5 yds $1
50 pieces of extra value, unbleached muslin. Regular 25c value, this sale, 5 yards for $1

$1.50 Dress Linen Only $1
Just 7 pieces of 45 inch "non-muss" dress linen, colors in o'rose, Copen, shell pink, Reseda Green, grey melon, rose and Danish blue. Low at $1.50—Dollar day $1

$1.50 Hand Bags for $1
Women's all leather hand bags with mirrors and coin purses. Regular $1.50 values Dollar day $1

65c Neckwear, Two for $1
Men's and boys' spring neckwear in all new patterns and styles. Regular 65c values Wednesday, two for $1

$1.50 Bath Towels for $1
50 extra heavy large bath towels, mats in assorted colors, worth $1.50 each, this sale your choice, each $1

39c Plisse Crepe—4 yds $1
15 pieces of beautiful white plisse crepe for underwear, worth regular 39c a yard, this sale 4 yards for $1

$1.50 Silk Poplins for $1
36 inch Silk Poplins, fine lustre finish, colors—purple, Russian green, navy, maize, rose. Regular $1.50 for dollar day only $1

2 69c Hair Brushes for $1
75c Ivory combs and 69c white Ivory hair brushes the two for Dollar day for $1

$1.25 Alarm Clocks for $1
Genuine American alarm clocks, good time keepers, reliable alarms. Regular $1.25 values Wednesday $1

35c Turk. Towels—4 for $1
100 dozen extra heavy bleached Turkish towels, worth 35c each this sale 4 for $1

6 yds 25c Ginghams for $1
100 pieces of dress ginghams in a beautiful assortment of spring patterns, a good value at 25c a yard, this sale 6 yards for $1

$1.50 Printed Poplins $1
Just four pieces of natural color Silk Poplin, printed wheel dots, and figures. Fine for skirts and trimmings. $1.50 sellers for dollar day $1

$1.50 Aluminum Kettle $1
Genuine aluminum preserving kettles in regular $1.50 values—Dollar day $1

$1.25 Oil Mops for $1
Large oil mops in $1.25 values with regular bottle of oil, both for Dollar day $1

69c Damask—2 yds. for $1
10 pieces of good weight 64 inch bleached damask, worth regular 69c a yard, this sale—2 yards for $1

6 yards 25c Linen for $1
100 pieces of unbleached extra heavy linen weft crash towelling, worth 25c a yard, this sale 6 yards for $1

$1.50 Shantung Ponge $1
Just one dollar day—36 inch washable Shantung Pongee Silks, fine for hot weather dresses, colors come in black, navy, Pekin blue, tan, o'rose, Reseda green and white. $1.50 sellers for $1

Alum. Rice Cooker Special
This big 1½ qt. pure aluminum double rice cooker. $1.50 value for Dollar day $1

$2 Cut Glass Water Set $1
Our regular $2 cut glass water set, consisting of jug and six glasses, special for Dollar Day $1

Special in White Organdie
10 pieces of very fine imported white organdie, 45 inches wide, fine for graduation dresses, worth regular $1.25, this sale, a yard $1

6 yards 25c Percale for $1
200 pieces of percales in blue, grey and light patterns, worth 25c a yard, this sale—6 yards for $1

75c Silk Crepe—2 yards $1
Another "flyer" for dollar day. 36 inch Silk Crepe, for underwear, etc., comes in light blue and shell pink—worth 75c a yard—for dollar day, 2 yards for $1

$1.50 Set Sad Irons for $1
Mrs. Potts Sad Irons, set of three irons, handle and stand worth $1.50 set for Dollar day special $1

$1.25 Wash Tubs for $1
No. 1 galvanized wash tubs worth $1.25 each for Dollar day $1

$1.50 Hall Matting for $1
48 inch heavy weight hall matting, green and tan, worth $1.50 a yard for $1

$1.50 Brussels Carpet at $1
200 yards hall and stair carpet, on sale dollar day at $1

$1.50 Scrim Curtains, $1
White or ecru hemstitched scrim curtains, regular $1.50 value, at pair $1

Cork Linoleum at $1
The best Cork Linoleum, 4 yards wide, for dollar day, at yard $1

$1.25 Repp at $1.00
50 inch plain or figured Repp for portiers, in green or brown, worth $1.25 a yard, for $1

MORE WORK FOR RAILROAD MEN

Ticket Agents Groan at Increases.

The announcement today of the increased railroad rates to go into effect June 10 is received by mingled feelings of joy and sorrow by local traffic men. O fcourse, they will wait for the new tariffs before they can know just what the increased rates are, but some things they can very clearly understand from the preliminary announcement.

"More work," exclaimed one ticket man. "My heavens, will we ever see the end."

"If the three cents a mile includes the war tax we can forgive everything else," was another sentiment heard. "It is awful to keep track of the war tax, and if the new rate includes this tax it will save us an hour's work every day in making out reports."

MORE REPORTS.

"Any set of mutts that don't know any better than to put a new rate into effect in the middle of the month ought to be shot at sunrise," was the expression of another ticket man. That means two monthly reports. We shall be obliged to close our window at midnight, take the numbers of all the tickets in the case and then start new. We have two cases of that sort of thing this year."

"The conductor will have to collect that extra half cent a mile charged Pullman passengers," was the first thought that occurred to another man. "If we undertake to sell tickets on that sliding scale basis we shall never get through."

COSTS TO TRAVEL.

To the traveling public it means the payment of a good deal more in railroad fares when they travel, about 50 per cent more. The present one-way rate to New York is $21.97. Under the new rate it will be about $33. Therefore, if a long trip is included in your summer vacation you would better get busy with your vacation before June 10.

Lieut. Longstreet Overseas.

Mrs. A. W. Hendricks received a card Monday from her son, Lieut. Verne Longstreet stating the boat on which he sailed had arrived safely overseas. Lieutenant Longstreet is now in the 132nd Infantry, Thirty-third division.

Speeders Fined in Court.

Charles H. Faith, Jr., of Warrensburg was arrested Monday evening for speeding, and Justice Noble fined him $11.50.

Paul Barger of 1520 North Huron street, arrested on the same charge, was fined $11.50 by Justice Saxton.

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For Eating and Cooking
Contains no animal fats
You not only give your family greater food enjoyment at less cost but you likewise help to conserve the nation's food resources when you serve Kingnut.

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Why Trade at Waggoner's?
BECAUSE Waggoner's is a Home store with all its interests in Decatur.
BECAUSE the money you spend at Waggoner's stays in Decatur; it is not sent to Chicago or to New York.
BECAUSE Waggoner's clothing is UNION MADE, not [illegible] sweat shop garments.
BECAUSE you can buy Waggoner's Clothes for the same price you must pay [illegible] all cash [illegible] called cash establishments.
MEN'S AND BOYS' DEPARTMENT—
Suits, Overcoats, Raincoats, Mackinaws, Pants, Hats, Shoes, Etc.
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Suits, Coats, Dresses, Skirts, Waists, Millinery, Furs, Shoes, Etc.
Cash or Credit.
Waggoner's
Strictly a Union Store

FOOD
Ask Your Grocer For
Sunrise Corn Meal
This meal is thoroughly cleaned and bolted, but germ is not removed. Medium Granulation.
For flavor and sweetness it is unexcelled.
Either white or yellow.
The Chapman Doake Co.
Manufacturers and Distributors.

Biddy Bye's Good Form

An employe who is subject to hard headaches or other physical disorders will not be retained in some offices, but in others a woman may impose for years on the kindness of a good natured man. All practical and fair-minded business women consider this very bad manners. Every woman who makes capital, or gets time off on account of her poor health is hurting the status of women as a class in the business world.

Hominy a Wheat Saver

Hominy is prepared from maize or Indian corn, which grain is—according to the best authorities—native to North America. Corn is enormously produced and consumed in this country. Efforts popularize the use of this product in Europe and Asiatic countries have met with poor success.

Hominy is one of the most eatable and most popular forms into which corn is converted for human food. Canned hominy is a product of recent introduction and is fast becoming most popular.

Hominy, as originally made by the earlier settlers of the United States was produced from white corn, the harder flint varieties being preferred. It was soaked in water and afterwards subjected to the action of a weak solution of wood ash lye. This had the effect of removing its outer hull leaving the white kernel for food. The hominy so made could then be dried and would keep sweet and good for a long time. It made a fine, nutritious and palatable food to be eaten with milk or cream, butter, sugar, syrup, or even with salt alone. It is an excellent and very cheap food, and during the past few years has gained considerable attention. It is prepared by some well known canners in the good old fashioned process. It is then thoroughly cooked in steam kettles, put in the cans, processed and then ready for the market.

Hominy is particularly valuable to use now as it is a satisfactory substitute for wheat. Hominy patties served at any meal eliminates the need of bread.

Hominy, too, as a wheat substitute makes a delicious white bread which keeps moist a long time, makes excellent toast and is very popular with the family.

POLICE LOOK FOR MISSING MERCHANT

Anton Elshoff Gone From Home in Springfield.

The Decatur police were Monday afternoon asked to try and locate Anton Elshoff, a prosperous merchant of Springfield, who disappeared from his home in that city Sunday. It is thought his mind has become unbalanced. He is fifty-one years old, five feet, nine inches tall and weighs 200 pounds.

He wore a light gray mixed suit, brown Fedora hat, tan shoes, purple gray sox and a striped soft shirt. He is a member of the Knights of Columbus and carries a K. C. charm. He is known in Decatur, but the police were unable to locate him here.

Ford Auto Stolen and Found.

Harry Kirby, 1454 West Decatur street, reported to the police at 10:30 Monday night that his Ford car had been stolen from the Gebhart corner. It was found by Officer Lewellen an hour later on Broadway, between Prairie avenue and William street.

ADDITION TO P. O. UNLIKELY

Not Expected That Government Will Build.

The fact that an appropriation of $106,000 for an addition to the post office at Decatur is included in the list of recommendations to congress for federal buildings in different parts of the country does not cause many Decatur people to look for an immediate addition to the local postal building.

The "pork barrel" will likely have little chance during the war and it is expected that such recommendations, doubtless made by congressmen for the benefit of their districts, will get no further than being written into the bills.

Postmaster Wilson Bering has no official information regarding the matter and he does not know whether or not the appropriation recommended for Decatur is for additions on the ground or in the height of the building.

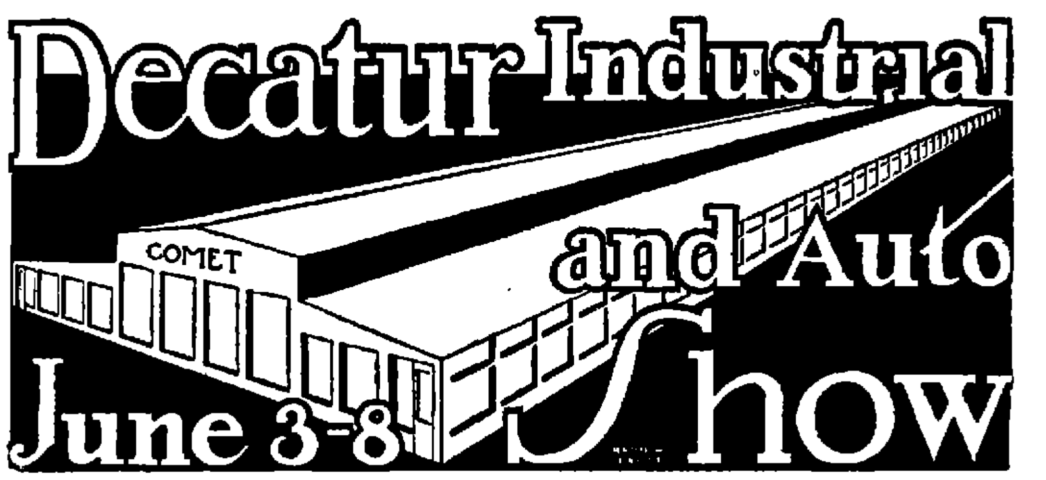
NO HARD COAL IN THIS CITY

Anthracite Mines May Be Taken Over by Government.

The hard coal situation in Decatur is like the farmer's giraffe—"there ain't any sich animal."

A man who has handled hard coal for many years here, said Saturday that there is absolutely no price and not a thing which can be said about what is likely to happen between now and fall. This man would not be at all surprised to have the anthracite mines taken over by the government and in that case theer will be no anthracite coal for Illinois.

A study of the coal map will show to the fuel administration that Illinois has plenty of bituminous coal and in that case there will be no andealer, that the railroad administration will refuse to haul herd coal to the great bituminous coal state merely because some of us prefer to burn it even if it does cost more.



2 Blocks Long—½ Block Wide

—The new building of the Comet Automobile Co., in which Decatur's Industrial and Auto Show is to be held, is 600 feet long and 150 feet wide—under the roof—and the loading platform on the east is 60 feet long and 20 feet wide.

—You may visualize this vast expanse by comparing it with a city block; equal to two city blocks in length and half a block wide.

—The immensity of the building gives you some idea of the impressiveness of the exposition it will house.

—More than a hundred individual exhibits of Decatur's manufactured products and motor cars will be ready for your inspection.

—Decatur is putting her best foot forward; she wants you to see the strides she is making industrially, so her manufacturers' exhibits will be presented in unique and interesting form.

—Decatur wants her guests to have a general good time during this exposition so entertainment has been planned on a lavish scale.

—The Champion Jackie Boxers from the Great Lakes Naval Training Station will be here Tuesday and Wednesday. All branches of the U. S. military and naval services will have interesting recruiting exhibits.

—Vaudeville acts from the metropolitan circuits—four of them—will be presented every day; two complete programs every afternoon and one every evening. Two bands have been engaged for "continuous service" afternoon and evening.

—Set aside at least one day to attend this show; better still make it two or three. Decatur promises you an exposition at which you will feel your time has been well invested.

—The opening date is Monday, June 3rd; the show continues through Saturday, June 8th.

Decatur Bids You
Welcome
Through The
Decatur Association of Commerce

For Memorial Day and General Summer Wear

New Blouses

At this time, when women are considering the question of suitable apparel for Memorial Day, their thoughts turn naturally to Lee's where they know they are assured of getting only what is new and correct, at reasonable prices.

Particularly strong showings of new Blouses are ready now. Recent shipments of the newest effects in Georgette and crepe de Chine have made this store more than ever "blouse headquarters."

These are shown in all the new models, in all the plain colors, and there are enough style variations represented to permit almost every woman to make an exclusive selection.

$2.50, $3.95, $5.00, $5.95, $6.50 and up to $25.00.

Here Are Specially Priced

Summer Dresses

for Memorial Day Wear

A recent purchase of delightfully new cotton frocks enables us to offer this special value.

In this special gathering are dainty summer dresses of fine white and colored voiles, printed lawns and other sheer materials, in a variety of colors and patterns.

New styles, some with organdy collars, silk ribbon trimmings and ocean pearl buttons.

Specially Priced
At $13.95

In addition to this group, there are scores of other new dresses, in both silk and tub materials, at regular prices.

As in every other line of merchandise carried at Lee's, real merit and character are the predominating features of our summer dresses.

Price is not the chief essential, although we can readily demonstrate that our garments at their prices are superlative values.

Silk Dresses $15 to $45 — *Tub Dresses $6.50 to $25*

For All Sorts of Outdoor Wear

Silk Sweater Coats

For wear with new white summer skirts—nothing better than these silk sweater coats. For auto, sport and general street wear—just the thing.

These silk sweater coats are here in all the new, high colors—rose, coral, Joffre, khaki, Copenhagen, gold, etc. Regulation sailor collar effects, or slipover models.

They're wearing them more than ever in the big cities—few big city stores offer better varieties than we, or better values.

$5.00 to $25.00

Silk Hosiery Lee's Correct Dress for Women *Silk Underwear*
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FURNITURE BARGAINS

Solid oak 4 ft. Porch Swings at	$2.98
Strictly new, all felt, 45 lb. mattress at	$11.00
2 Burner Dangler guaranteed Oil Stoves at	$12.50
Library Tables, made of solid oak, at	$ 5.50
Round Dining Tables, 6 ft. extension	$12.50
New solid oak Kitchen Cabinets at	$15.00
$50 Davenport, at	$25.00
Strictly new 9x12 Wool Fiber Rugs at	$10.00

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SPORTS

CROWD OF 5,000 SEE SOX WIN

Boston, Mass., May 28.—Before a crowd of less than 5,000 Red Cross patrons, Chicago's nonchalant world's champions beat the Red Sox in spite of their own nonchalance by a score of 6 to 4.

Manager Rowland started Eddie Cicotte on the slab against Dutch Leonard, but when he saw the locals whale Eddie for two runs in the opener the Sox boss gambled by sending Frank Shelenback to the rescue in th esecond round, and the California kid delivered. Two more runs were registered off Shell, but only one of them was his fault, and he worked like a veteran in the rough going, of which there was considerable.

SOX SLEEP ON PATHS

The White Sox hammered Leonard so hard Ed Barrow removed him in the eighth inning after the game was lost. If the Rowlands had not tossed off runs on the bases in their well known fashion they would have given Shell a much easier task. Two south side runners were picked off the bags during the battle, and in neither case was there any play on to alibi it. Umpire Nallin made the White Sox task harder by taking away a run at the plate, but their own mistakes cost more than that.

PANA BLUES TO QUIT BASEBALL

Management Claims to Have Lost Money on Games.

The Pana ball club, owner of the Pana Blues, a team that has been in existence a great many years, and which has quite a reputation, has decided to quit the game for the remainder of the season. So far the team has had two games this year and the management claims to have lost money on both of them. This, they say, is due to Pana's being voted dry and to the large number of fans that have gone into the war.

PROGRESS OF THE PENNANT RACES

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Club-	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
New York	23	10	.697
Chicago	22	11	.667
Cincinnati	20	17	.541
Pittsburgh	15	15	.500
Philadelphia	14	18	.437
Boston	14	19	.424
St. Louis	12	21	.364
Brooklyn	12	21	.364

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Club-	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Boston	21	13	.618
New York	19	14	.576
Chicago	17	14	.517
St. Louis	16	15	.516
Cleveland	18	17	.514
Cincinnati	11	17	.452
Washington	15	19	.441
Detroit	9	18	.333

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

National League

Brooklyn 1, St. Louis 0.
Philadelphia, 2 Cincinnati, 1
Chicago, 7 New York, 3.
Boston, 2, Pittsburgh, 1.

American League

Philadelphia, 8, St. Louis 4.
Washington, 7, Detroit, 4.
Chicago 6, Boston, 4
New York 7, Cleveland, 1.

TODAY'S GAMES.

National League

Cincinnati at Chicago, cloudy, 3 p.m.
Boston at Pittsburgh, clear, 3:30 p.m.
No other games scheduled.

American League.

St. Louis at Philadelphia, cloudy, 3:30 p.m.
Cleveland at New York, cloudy; 3:45 p.m.
Detroit at Washington, cloudy; 3:30 p.m.
Chicago at Boston, cloudy, 3:15 p.m.

American Association.

Louisville at Kansas City, clear; 3:30 p.m.
Toledo at St. Paul, cloudy; 3 p.m.
Indianapolis at Milwaukee, rain; 3 p.m
Columbus at Minneapolis, game played last Sunday.

ZIMMERMAN AND MANN IN FIGHT

Chicago May 28.—Chicago came from behind yesterday and by heavy hitting against Perritt, Anderson and Causey overtook New York and defeated the visitors 7 to 3, making it three straight. Hendrix was unsteady in the early innings, but settled down and pitched a good game.

Zimmerman and Mann clashed on the field, but the umpires apparently did not see what had happened, because it occurred so fact. In the seventh inning Mann was on second. Hendrix hit to Zimmerman, who made a wild stab at Mann. Mann, who was running at top speed, crashed into the New York third baseman. They clinched, Zimmerman making an effort to hit Mann, while the latter had Zimmerman's arm locked. The players separated the two men, after which each engaged in a wordy duel. Zimmerman waited outside the park for Mann, but the Chicagoan left the park unseen by the New Yorker.

DECATUR GUNNERS ENTER TOURNEY

Will Compete For Honors in the Peoria Shoot.

Local gunners are going out after the honors in the forty-second annual tournament of the Illinois State Sportsmen's Association to be held at Peoria, June 10, 11, 12 and 13. Announcement was made that several members of the local gun club will be entered in the big shoot.

Ten events are listed on the four-day program. Several large cash prizes, as well as championship badges in the various classes, will be at stake.

Nunamaker's Great Record.

St. Louis Post-Dispatch — Leslie Nunamaker, who has caught every game played by the Browns this season, has gone without an error for 23 straight contests. The last error for Nunamaker came in the game with the White Sox played in St. Louis on April 26, when he made a wild throw to third base. The great work of the former Yankee has been one of the reasons for the Browns' recent success.

SUMMARY OF SPORTS NEWS

Chicago, May 28.—Trompe La Morte, a French bred three year old, won the Metropolitan mile handicap at Belmont park track with Old Koenig second and Priscilla Mullens third. Omar Khayyam, the favorite, was beaten off.

Michigan defeated the Iowa nine at Iowa City, 7 to 2.

Gunboat Smith, New York, and Leo Houck of Lancaster, Pa., fought a six round draw at Lancaster.

Sunday baseball and other sports without admission are permitted in an ordinance signed by Mayor Preston of Baltimore.

Johnny Dundee, New York, outboxed Eddie Morgan of England in six rounds at Philadelphia. They are lightweights.

MOWEAQUA COUPLE WED IN ST. LOUIS

Moweaqua, May 28.—Miss Fannie Powell and Howard Bridgeman were married in St. Louis Thursday at a Methodist parsonage. They returned Friday and will make their home with their parents near Pisgah. Mr. Bridgeman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bridgman, is in the draft. The bride is the only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Powell and attended the high school last year.

A letter from George Kicker to his mother, states that although he has received his discharge from the army on account of his health, he cannot come home as his old trouble, pleurisy, has again developed. He is in the hospital. Mrs. Viola Hudson has had a another letter from her son James, who has been so long ill in France, and he is again unable to be out of bed.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Foster and sons motored to Decatur Thursday.

RED CROSS FAIR

A Red Cross fair and box supper was held at the Prairie Home church lawn Friday night which cleared more than $200 for the Red Cross war fund. All the townships have their quota about raised, despite the fact that it is such a busy time with farmers.

Miss Lulu Snyder was in Assumption Friday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Lee Hivins, May 22 a son.

Mrs. August Zeitz was the guest of friends in Assumption Friday.

Miss Ruth Clapper is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Harrell, in Grinnell, Ia.

Ramona Corrington, is suffering with typhoid fever at Decatur and Macon County hospital. Mrs. Nellie Allison has her litson John, here for a a few days.

Mrs. Minnie Simpson and son spent several days in Decatur the guest of her sister.

Miss Mary Wilson made a flying visit to the Wilson home for two days, returning to Davenport, Ia., Friday.

John Greates of Clinton, is here for Memorial Sunday.

Cards are out announcing the graduation of Miss Glyde Winchell at Normal university.

Miss Mabel Buckmaster of Decatur, was the guest of Mrs. George Rolling Friday.

Mrs. Emerson Sanders and Mrs. Ralph Snyder were in Decatur Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Drew attended the funeral of Mrs. Raymond Coltle at Blue Mound Thursday.

Horace Clark has been changed from Ebert Field in Arkansas to Fort Sill, Okla. Paul Corrington enlisted in the navy at Decatur Thursday and was sent to Peoria. Ralph Adams enlisted at Taylorville on Friday. He is in the Christian county draft.

On Saturday evening a jolly crowd gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Will Sanner, jr., surprising Arthur Sanner on his twenty fourth birthday. Fifty young people enjoyed the evening. Miss Myra Bauer of Macon, sang several selections. Refreshments were served.

The Royal Neighbors and Modern Woodmen will hold Memorial services at Pleak hall, Sunday, June 2 at 2 p.m. The address will be made by Rev. R. H. Palmer of this city.

RECRUITING STATION.

The Williams drug store is now a recruiting station for the merchants marine service. Men from 21 to 30 years of age who enter this service are exempt from draft.

MARRIED IN TAYLORVILLE.

James W. Workman of Prairieton township and Miss Wilma Wagner of Indiana, were married in Taylorville Thursday afternoon, May 16. The ceremony was performed by Judge Prater at the court house. The groom is the youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Workman. They will make their home with the groom's parents.

Cards have been received, stating that Ray Wempen an dPete Pushcar have arrived overseas.

Ervil Pierce, who was operated upon for appendicitis at the Huber Memorial hospital in Pana, has returned home and is making a good recovery.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Herman Fathauer, April 29, a son.

Ray Evans left Thursday for Rock Island, where he will work with Ralph Jarvis in the arsenal.

Glen Clark and James Hedges expect to leave for Great Lakes Naval Training station the first of the week.

Mrs. Dan Stroh and daughter, Marjorie, returned from a visit to her sister at Edinburg.

Mrs. Hattie Thurn is visiting her at Redford.

Mrs. Barrett, who has been making her home with her daughter, Mrs. Leo Roberts, has gone to Kewanee. She was accompanied by Miss Ruth Bolivar, who has been visiting here.

Mrs. L. P. Bullock entertained the Country club on Thursday. The usual bountious dinner was served and nineteen garments were completed for the Red Cross.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Foster have a new Jeffery car, which they drove home from Decatur Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Porter went to Texas Wednesday.

Mr. David of Assumption, gave our Boy Scouts a work out on Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Hargroves of Decatur, were guests of the Jarvis family Friday.

Prof. Walter Campbell and family, of Decatur, spent the week-end with Rev. and Mrs. Frank Campbell.

Clayton Humphrey is seriously ill with pleural pneumonia.

Rev. Mr. Netherlcutt is the guest of his daughter Mrs. Walter Smith.

PANA.

Rev. and Mrs. Arch O'Farrell of Chicago, announced the birth of a daughter at their home in that city. Mrs. O'Farrel is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Best of Pana.

Mrs. Prielm went to Sandoval Monday for a visit with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. William Ketchum of Alton, are here visiting relatives.

Mrs. Lyman Salfee entertained the Past Presidents' club of the Woman's Relief Corps this afternoon. The hours of meeting were devoted to Red Cross work.

Mr. and Mrs. James Kirkendell spent Sunday in Mattoon.

Humphrey's Springatun left Sunday for Fort Oglethorpe, Ga., to enter the training school of the officers reserves.

Miss Frances Eichelberger and Miss Florence Cheney have been elected by the Christian Endeavor society as captains for a membership drive. Rules have been adopted and red and blue pins provided for the drive.

Miss Cora E. Simpson, medical missionary from Foochaw, China, of the Woman's Foreign Missionary society, will speak Wednesday evening at the mid-week services at the First Methodist church.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Pierpoint were Decatur visitors Sunday.

Will Swim was here from Witt to spend Sunday with his family.

Eugene Durand has returned to California, after a visit here with his sister, Mrs. S. E. Millot.

Mrs. Jennie Selby of this city, who was removed ten days ago to the home of her sister, Mrs. Gross, in Tower Hill, was reported Monday as failing rapidly.

A contingent of selected men for the national army from Shelby county, passed through Pana Monday enroute to Hattiesburg, Miss., to enter a training camp.

Herbert Swim was here from Beardstown Monday to visit his sister, Mrs. Albert Dolt and his brother Will Swim. He has enlisted in the United States navy. He left today for Chicago. Mr. Swim is a former Pana boy. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Swim, are at present residents of Hanson.

Mrs. Peneton and children, Earl and Waldo, of Kincaid, who have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Combs, Jr., returned on Monday to their home.

Mrs. Anna Hudson is visiting in Terre Haute.

Mrs. Belle Bartow was in Nokomis Monday.

Oscar Maisch who has been home on a furlough, returned to West Point, Ky., Monday.

Miss Mildred Moyer spent the week-end in Shelbyville.

Major H. N. Schuyler spent Sunday with his daughter, Mrs. Albert Cole in Indianapolis.

Frank H. Henry has arrived home from a visit with relatives in Canton.

Mrs. Dan Lytle who recently underwent an operation to relieve eye trouble is recovering and the operation is to prove successful.

Edward Drenan of Springfield, was here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Scovill and daughter Mae were guests of relatives in Shelbyville Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Rees entertained the following party of Decatur people Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. N. D. Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rees, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Mohler, who motored to Pana to spend the day.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Mann of Salt Lake City, Utah were guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Russell last week. Mr. Mann was at one time employed here as operator for the B. & O. He is now chief wire manager for the L. & N. R. R. Co.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Martin of Detroit, Mich. are here visiting friends.

D. P. Dable, proprietor of the Pana ice and Cold Storage plant suffered a broken arm while cranking his car Sunday. This is the second time he has suffered a broken arm in the same manner.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Grover Shanks, a son.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Geehm, who recently purchased the Morefield property, will take possession of the residence this week.

An oratorical contest was held in the Lincoln and Washington schools Friday afternoon by pupils of the seventh and eighth grades, who were selected as the best from the four minute speakers' contest. The subject was "The Government Thrift Stamp." Each contestant was awarded a certificate. The contest resulted over the fact that each student in these grades submitted orations not exceeding four hundred words and eight of the students submitting orations were selected to speak. Those awarded were: Emma Davis, Alice Linthicum, Lucille Fairbanks, Irene Pfau, Ethelyn Rinker, Elizabeth Ricketts, Roxie Fuson and Earl Ellis of the Lincoln school; Gladys Hanson, Fred Poll, Phillip Stepping, Ruby Scheer, Nora Gaffner, Hazel Lankford, Harold McAdams and Dwight Pence of the Washington school.

ALLENVILLE.

Memorial services will be observed at the French Church Sunday.

Miss Minnie Capshaw was in Sullivan Saturday.

Mrs. Louisa Clark of Mattoon, is visiting here.

Miss Susie Burnett of Sullivan, visited Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Burnett last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Moore of Mattoon, visited Mrs. Martha Moore Sunday.

Rev. C. S. Jupin of Gays, will preach at the Methodist church Saturday night and Sunday morning.

J. B. Tabor was in Chicago last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Glover of Mattoon, visited relatives here Sunday.

Miss Cora Sutton of Janesville, is visiting Miss Emma Standerfer.

Miss Gladys Preston visited her sister, Mrs. C. E. McFerrin of Sullivan Satrday and Sunday.

Mrs. G. P. Martin visited her mother, Mrs. G. W. Blackwell at Sullivan, Wednesday.

A number of people from this vicinity were in Sullivan Saturday afternoon to see the aeroplane from Chanute Field.

Rev. M. R. Griffith of Arcola, will preach at the Jonathan Creek church Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Preston visited in Sullivan Sunday.

LAST MEETING OF BOYS' COUNCIL

D. H. S. Organization Has Done Much Good Work.

The Boy's Council of the high school held their last meeting of the school year Monday. Altogether, the councils have done more work this year than ever before. They have done active work all along in the various school activities, their biggest work being in the tournament held here and the recent thrift stamp campaign. One great step taken in perfecting the organization is the adopting of a constitution for the Boy's Council, which provides for the organization of the council as soon as the school is organized and also for the carrying on of business.

One plan resulting from the council which is still under discussion is a plan which aims to bring the schools into closer relationship and to stimulate student activity in the interest of the school by having student representatives sent to annual gatherings of such representatives in conjunction with the regular teachers' and principals' meetings.

An assembly will be held Wednesday morning for the purpose of celebrating Memorial day. Fitting exercises will be observed.

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3. One year Surgeon in Chief to the Crandon Hospital.

4. One year professor in the Wisconsin College of Physicians and Surgeons of Milwaukee.

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SOURCES OF TAXES.

President Wilson asks that there be an increase in taxation in this country, and he justifies this on the ground that the treasury must have more such income in these war times.

He suggests that the principal increases in taxation be levied against "incomes, war profits and luxuries." It is told this statement was received with cheers by the joint session of congress.

The chances are the smaller incomes will have to pay more when the law is changed. This is because under the law as we now have it the largest incomes seem to be taxed pretty close to the limit. It is said those whose incomes mount well into the millions have to give up about two-thirds of what they receive. When a man is taxed to that point it is not practical to go much further with him.

There is mention of an increase in taxation of "war profits." As a matter of fact, we have no such tax in this country. There is a tax on earnings above a certain per cent on the capital invested, but some of the concerns affected made more profit before the war than they have since we got into it.

Doubtless there are concerns in the country that have had very big profits since the war started, have them because of the war. But such concerns do not have to pay any more tax than does another with equal profits that bear no relation to the war.

It is told that they go after war profits much more sharply and definitely in England; some concerns in that country give up as high as 80 per cent. But these are distinctly war profits, they would not exist were it not for the war. They are profits that had no kind of existence before the war started.

Perhaps the president has it in mind to take a larger slice of such profits here in America.

TWO POUNDS OF MEAT.

The food administration asks us to get along on two pounds of meat a week, that is, two pounds for each member of the family over four years old. It is said the consumption in this country has been at the rate of 3¼ pounds a week.

Most of us should have no difficulty in getting along on two pounds. There are a great many in the city who have not eaten at that rate for the past year; in fact, we have some people who never eat that much meat. The one who is not engaged in heavy labor doubtless will be better off on the meat ration here asked.

It may be different with the man who is doing hard outdoor labor. Take a good farm hand at a season like this, and he must be plentifully fed. He puts in many hours a day, and the work is telling. He has been accustomed to heavy feeding at this season, and he has need of all the food he takes. We do not expect that he will get enough through the week on two pounds of meat.

But we can strike an average of two pounds, for some of us do not need that much. However, it is somewhat discouraging to learn that we have been consuming 3¼ pounds a week, an average of that. After all that has been said and all that we know has been done by many in the way of meat conservation, one supposed the average must have dropped close to the two pounds now asked. [illegible] pretty sure that many of us can [illegible] better than we have been doing. [illegible] is now a little late to be making a start, but, of course, it is better to begin now than to put it off.

TAXES AND BONDS.

It is told the word is passed around in Washington that 40 per cent of our war expenses should be got through taxation, leaving 60 per cent to be provided through bond issues.

It is told that unless a proportion somewhat like this is maintained we are in danger of inflation through too heavy bond issues, and inflation is bad for the foundation on which credit must rest.

Whether or not the war bond is inflation depends on how it is subscribed, by whom, and in what quantities. Take a bond issue that is subscribed by practically all the people, each in proportion to his ability, and there is little chance for hurtful inflation. People must economize to pay for the bonds, and when everybody is doing this you can expect the country will hold its fair level.

One perhaps may assume that there is so much money that can be got from the people of a country in a year, whether in taxes or through bonds, or through both. If you take more in taxes you will leave less to be subscribed in bonds.

Perhaps it makes little difference to the public how the thing is managed, provided always there is equal distribution of the burden, if you are to call it by that name. If a man were put to it perhaps he could save $100 to pay in taxes about as easily as he could to put into a bond; and if all were engaged in this, each doing his fair share, we should be as well off at the end of the year or at the end of ten years.

But you can't pay $100 in taxes, and at the same time save $100 to buy bonds, you being a man whose margin is $100 a year. Your margin, say, is $10,000 a year; you can't pay all that in taxes and then subscribe for $10,000 in bonds.

Make the taxation fair, distribute it equitably, and then we need not worry over the result.

QUICK ACTION ON RATES.

In the morning we learned from Director General McAdoo of an increase in pay for all railroad men; in the afternoon of the same day we learned of an increase in passenger and freight rates to get the money needed to pay the higher wages.

Not much time was lost in this there wasn't any lost motion. In this way the country learned in a single day's session that if it costs more to operate the railroads the public will have to furnish the money, any the only way to get it from the public is to increase the rates for service.

All this was not so plain to many a few years ago. At that time something would occur to increase the cost of operating the lines, say as much as a hundred millions a year. Immediately the railroad owners would try to make a move to get this added cost from the public; there would be a proposal to increase rates. But the thing didn't work while you waited, as it does in these times. The railroad people would go to the interstate commerce commission and state their case, and they thought they had a good one.

But that was just the opening of an argument that proved interminable. The shippers and others insisted on a day in court, and these told they could not afford to pay higher rates, that it would hurt the country to call on them to do so.

"But where are we to get the necessary funds to pay these larger bills?" railroad men asked.

They were told to economize in other directions. They had to try that, it was their only recourse. They overdid this, the result being the properties were allowed to run down. Economy wasn't big enough to turn the trick.

Mr. McAdoo asks us to support this increase in rates as a necessary war measure. Of course it is what we must do, and the more willingly we do it the happier we shall be.

But how are we to get away from these increased rates after the war is over and the roads go back to the owners? If one is inclined to borrow worry he can here find a carload.

ALL KINDS OF ROADS.

Some towns in central Illinois report that roads are bumpy and hard; other places report the highways in good shape. And that is the way you find it if you go into the country for a drive.

There is a road north from Harristown to Decatur, part of it plain dirt; but it is easy going over all of it. South of this town you find some dirt roads that try a man's soul. The difference is in the way they have been handled.

And, while on this subject, some of us wish that Jake Hill would move back to his old farm south of town. There was a gravel road to his place in his day, that was a delight. The same road is there, and it is still gravel, and it is an untamed nightmare. Only after driving over it can you appreciate the debt we owed Jake Hill in the days when he was a yeoman.

Colonel Roosevelt and Mr Taft met in a Chicago dining room and chatted pleasantly and gaily for a half hour the reporters say. We are glad to have this on the word of the scribes, for we would not believe it, coming from any others.

The president says "Politics is adjourned," and that is a good working motto for this war year. Also that is the way the people feel about the thing. We are now licking the kaiser, and that's enough.

The streets the council ordered paved could not well wait any longer, even if a world war is on. The fact is they waited six years too long as the case now stands.

There are 1,500 bushels of emergency seed corn in this town, and remember, it is the kind that will grow.

Ten Years Ago Today In Decatur

MAY 28, 1908.

The twenty-third annual meeting of the Illinois Women's Missionary society of the Church of God opened in the Boiling Springs church.

Fire destroyed G. S. Rager's grocery at 439 South Fairview.

Miss Elizabeth McNeil of The Review editorial staff and Amza Barr were married in Springfield.

Fifty members of the D. H. S. class of '07 met in reunion at the home of Miss Notie Pasold. Hostesses were Miss Pasold and Louise Riley.

The high school was so crowded that it was found necessary to hold a class on the steps outside the building until classes could be shifted.

TWENTY YEARS AGO TODAY.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Caldwell.

Mike Haher opened a new saloon on South Park street.

W. H. Starr was offered a government position as leather and harness inspector. He had not decided whether he would accept it.

Stakes for a new concrete walk on North Main street from Lincoln Square to North street, where there was no concrete walks, were set.

This Day In Illinois History

May 28, 1862—Grand union rally held in Girard, Ill. Immense concourse of Freemen in council. Old Macoupin aroused to the interest of the Union. Three thousand five hundred people in attendance. Meeting organized by electing M. V. Kitzmiller, president, and George Wolf, vice president; secretaries, William Dodds and William Gamage.

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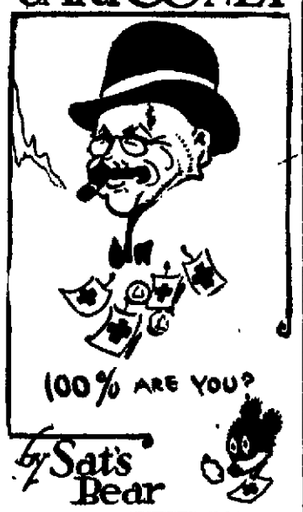


BIG SEND-OFF FOR DRAFT MEN

Eighty to Leave Thursday Night.

While the plans for the send-off to be given the fifty city men and thirty county men who will leave for camp Thursday night at 8 o'clock are not yet complete, it is expected that it will be the biggest demonstration that has so far marked the departure of a draft contingent from Decatur. That is not because it is desired to show these boys any greater respect than those who have heretofore been sent away, but because Thursday is a holiday and it will be much easier to stage a demonstration than on a working day.

It is possible that company H, 10th Regiment, I. N. G., and the various companies of the Illinois Reserve Militia will turn out in uniform, together with two or three bands and some secret societies in uniform.

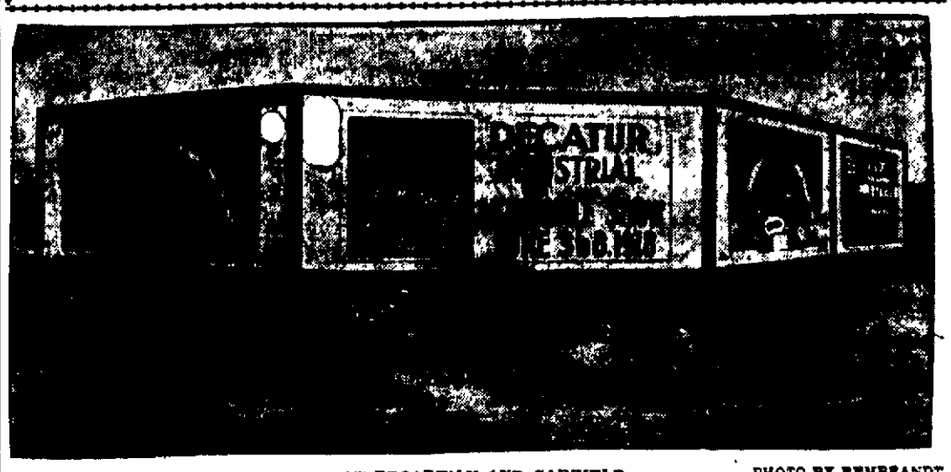
INDUCTER INTO SERVICE

Otto Elza Belknap of Blue Mound was inducted into the service by the Macon county exemption board and sent to Camp Lewis, Wash., Monday afternoon, at the request of the exemption board at Crookston, Minn., where Mr. Belknap was registered. He was farming in Minnesota last June and the exemption board there placed him in a deferred class as a farmer. His brother, Harry Belknap registered in Macon county, and he was placed in class 1. Knowing that his brother would be called, Otto disposed of his farm interests in Minnesota and returned with his mother to Blue Mound. He had no wish to shirk military service, but having his mother to support and with one brother in the draft list, he supposed he would not be called. He purchased a clothing store in Blue Mound and was doing a good business.

SHORT NOTICE.

Harry Belknap was called last week and went with the Macon county contingent to Camp Shelby, Miss. Last Saturday he received notice that on account of his change of occupation he had been advanced by the Crookston board to class 1, and at the same time the Macon county board got notice to induct him into the service at once. It was short notice, but Otto made no complaint. He hustled around and found a man to take charge of the store and run it during his absence and Monday he came to Decatur and the county board furnished him with transportation to Camp Lewis. Now both boys are in the service. Harry Belknap was employed in the bank at Blue Mound. He leaves behind a wife, to whom he was married since he registered last June.

"Made In Decatur" Show On The Billboards



AT BROADWAY AND GARFIELD. —PHOTO BY REMBRANDT.

The Decatur Posting Service has erected a new board at Broadway and Garfield and has donated all the space on it to the Red Cross, thrift stamps and the "Made in Decatur" show. The industrial show posters are exceedingly attractive. The new board is 160 feet long.

CIPHER CODE IN HIS POSSESSION

Harry E. Hakes, who, when arrested Feb. 26, for obtaining money under false pretenses, in selling fake magazine subscriptions, was found to have a cipher code in his possession, will be investigated by government authorities. Unable to pay his fine and costs, amounting to $45, he has been in the county jail since his arrest. His time was out Monday, and he was discharged, but was again taken into custody on suspicion.

Hakes claims to be from Philadelphia or some other eastern city. He has only one leg, and while that would prevent his being drafted, he failed to register last June. That fact and the presence of the cipher code warrant his being fully investigated. It is also said that he has made a number of pro-German remarks, and he will be given a chance to explain fully.

BERT MASON IS AFTER AUTOISTS

Those Who Have Failed to Take Out Licenses to Be Held.

State Automobile Inspector Bert Mason is looking up owners and drivers of automobiles who have not complied with the law in relation to taking out 1918 licenses, either for cars or for drivers. Every car must have a 1918 license, or the owner must have a certificate showing he has applied for a license.

The same is true of chauffeurs, and that term includes all who drive cars. Mr. Mason has located about 75 offenders already, and is warning them that there will be something doing unless they are able to show by tonight that the licenses have been applied for.

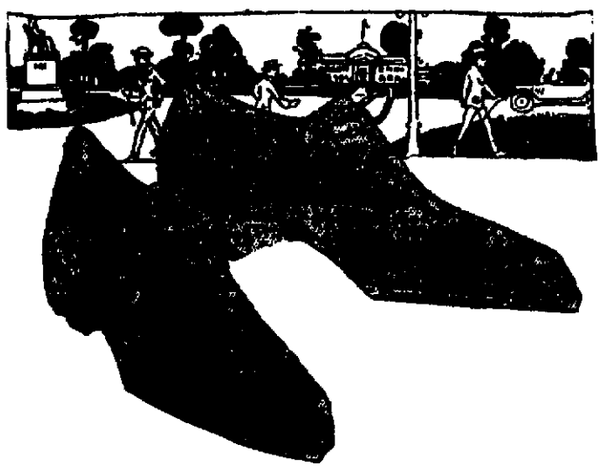
ROBERT CRAYCROFT IS NEAR DEATH

Former Millikin Student Sick at Manitou, Colo.

Word was received Monday afternoon by J. I. Pasold that there were no hopes for the recovery of Robert Craycroft, who is ill in Manitou, Colo. A consultation was held by physicians over his condition, and they give out no hope. His parents and Miss Pasold are with him in Manitou.

Mr. Craycroft was formerly a Millikin student and a member of the Kappa Delta Chi fraternity.

Unusual Quality and Style



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The "Newgate" is a conservative blucher last with oak soles and heels in either Palm Beach or White—An unusually good value at the price—

$5.00

The "Pep"

The "Pep" is an English last, Bal-pattern with oak soles and heels—we have it in either the white or Palm Beach—a very dressy oxford for summer wear—

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Every druggist in this county is authorized to say to every rheumatic sufferer in this vicinity that if two bottles of Allenrhu, the sure conqueror of rheumatism, does not stop all agony, reduce swollen joints and do away with even the slightest twinge of rheumatic pain, he will gladly return your money without comment.

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Allenrhu relieves at once. Immediately after you start to take it the good work begins. It searches out the uric acid deposits, dissolves the accretions and drives rheumatic poisons out of the body through the kidney and bowels.

It's marvelous how quickly it acts. Blessed relief often comes in two days, and even in cases where the suffering is most painful all traces disappear in a few days.

Mr. James H. Allen, the discoverer of Allenrhu, who for many years suffered the torments of acute rheumatism, desires all sufferers to know that he does not want a cent of anyone's money unless Allenrhu decisively conquers this worst of all diseases, and he has instructed his druggist to guarantee it in every instance.

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Women have talked much—they have actually yearned, at least, for a public market.

"Cut down the cost of food distribution. Too much difference in the price paid the produced and the price charged the consumer." Women, and men, too (but the women know better about the prices,) have said all of this and more too.

Talk makes much wind available for toy balloons.

Now, the PIGGLY WIGGLY was brought into being for the use and profit of those men and women who mean business when they say something ought to be done to lower the high cost of living.

The PIGGLY WIGGLY will be a supply depot of food products, conveniently arranged for the quick selection by any customer who wants to buy.

We are living in a fast age now—in truth, an age a little too fast. It is high time for some of us to put on the brakes and pause for a moment at the prospect of the downward plunge ahead of us in our reckless and extravagant living.

Pure leaf lard, Berkshire brand, ½ pound carton	16½c	No. 2 can Van Camps pork and beans	18c
Pure leaf lard, Berkshire brand, 1 pound carton	33c	Paxton red beans	8c
Pure lard, No. 3 pail	78c	Log Cabin Syrup	22c and 44c
Pure lard, No. 5 pail	$1.30	White House Coffee, 1 lb.	33c
Armour's Vegatole, No. 3 pail	69c	Library Coffee, 1 lb.	28c
Karo, dark, 1½ lb. can	12c	Old Reliable Coffee, 1 lb.	27c
Karo, dark, 10 lb. pail	66c	Elk Coffee, 1 lb.	22c
Karo, dark, 5 lb. pail	35c	Instant Postum	23c
Karo, white, 1½ lb. can	12½c	Large can Calumet Baking Powder	19c
Karo, white, 5 lb. pail	38c	Large can Dr. Price's baking powder	41c
Karo, white, 10 lb. pail	71c	Large can Royal Baking powder	41c
No. 1 can pineapple	11c	Jello, any flavor	8½c
No. 2 can pineapple	17c	Beech Nut Peanut Butter	12c, 19c, 30c
No. 2½ pineapple	22c	All Campbell's Soups	10c
No. 1 can peaches	13c	½ lb. Hershey's Cocoa	15c
No. 1 pears	16c	10 cent can Hershey's cocoa	7c
No. 2½ can apricots	21c	Fairy Soap, per bar	6½c
No. 2 can corn	11c	Jap Rose Soap, per bar	8c
No. 2 can Early June peas	12½c	Ivory Soap, per bar	6c
Libby's Asparagus tips	23c	Sweetheart Soap, per bar	6½c
No. 3 can hominy	9c	Lenox Soap, per bar	5c
No. 3 can Kraut	12½c	Sapolio, per bar	7½c
No. 3 can sweet potatoes	16c	Bon Ami	7½c
No. 3 can pumpkin	10c	Tooth Picks, per package	4c
		Search Light Matches, per box	5c
		Crisco	30c, 43c, 92c, $1.84

The few items listed above, give an idea of the basis of our prices carried out throughout our entire stock. We also carry a large assortment of fresh vegetables and fruits.

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Do as little rubbing as possible. Hard rubbing is more harmful than daily wear. Of course, ordinary soap requires hard rubbing to get good results, but a real naptha soap like Fels-Naptha reduces rubbing to almost nothing. The naptha cleans without harm and more thoroughly than the hardest rubbing.

Next wash-day try Fels-Naptha in cool or luke-warm water. Let the clothes soak thoroughly, rub them lightly and then rinse thoroughly. It's the easiest, quickest method to wash clothes perfectly clean.

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Promptly Apply Zemo, the Safe, Clean, Disappearing Antiseptic Liquid—Easy to Use—Does Not Stain

Greasy salves and ointments should not be applied if good clear skin is wanted. From any druggist for 35c, or $1.00 for large size, get a bottle of zemo. When applied as directed it effectively removes eczema quickly stops itching, and heals skin troubles, also sores, burns, wounds and chafing. It penetrates, cleanses and soothes. Zemo is a clean, dependable and inexpensive, antiseptic liquid. Try it, as we believe nothing you have ever used is as effective and satisfying.

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ALL THINK PROPER

To Wish Men Good Luck on Their Journey.

Interest in the question as to who her it is proper for girls to shake hands with strange soldiers continues to grow and the letters received indicate that most people approve, providing it is restrained by proper behavior and is limited to that sign of encouragement.

Most letters indicate that the writers approve if it is patriotically inspired if otherwise not

FROM CHESTERVILLE

Chesterville, Ill., May 27, 1918

Editor Woman's Page—Is it right or wrong for a young girl to shake hands with a strange soldier

This is a broad subject and can be looked at different ways. However few things that can not be seen different ways. Circumstances alter cases. If these girls were not intending set up a flirtation, did not exchange addresses and promise to correspond and only treated the matter in a lady like way, I can not see but that it is perfectly right and shows a patriotic and appreciative feeling for the boys in brown going to do our work for us, and as every true American is now brimming with "true patriotism" we have no time to stop and censure the hand shaking and greeting of the boys in brown, just because we are not personally acquainted with them

The appearance of a soldier in uniform should be same as the appearance of the flag, for they do represent the Stars of the Flag Today. Therefore I would earnestly consider it proper for any patriotic person to shake hands and to offer any words of cheer or gratitude to the men going over there, just so long as it is in earnest and with no intent of familiarity. I say everybody shake hands with every soldier when possible. Show them we are with them to a man

Respectfully,
R. DOLSON, Pennsylvania Agent.

Ex-Soldier's Opinion.

Editor Woman's Page—"Does a girl have a right to shake hands with a strange soldier?"

Ask a man—a soldier. "Would you want your sister or your wife or your daughter haunting the railway stations flirting with soldiers, or any one else?"

It is just as wrong to shake hands with a strange soldier as with a strange traveling man. There's your answer.

Respectfully,
EX-SOLDIER.

Thinks It's Right.

Editor Review—In regard to the question of whether it is right or wrong for a young girl to shake hands with a strange soldier and wish him luck, I think it is all right as long as it goes no farther than hand shakes, for the boys are going away not knowing if they will return or not and I think they will need all the encouragement they can get.

Think if your own son or brother is going or has gone already and help cheer the boys on their way.

NORMA LE MOND,
1430 North Broadway, Decatur.

Has Two Brothers.

Dear Editor—In the Sunday Review I see where you have put in about girls shaking hands with soldiers.

Well, I think it is right because I have two brothers in service and I know they would like to have those kind of greetings It also cheers the soldiers and makes them feel what they are doing is right It takes troubles off their minds besides.

LYNN PENSINGER,
530 Stewart Ave., Decatur.

Up to Canteener.

Woman's Department, Review — What the girls from Bright's did called for no criticism. The way in which they did it might have The canteen women's bowery way of reproving them at least called for criticism.

A SUBSCRIBER.

One of Elite.

Woman's Department, Review—If one of the elite had committed the breach of etiquette that the girls from Bright's did they would have been congratulated upon showing such a democratic spirit instead of being censured.

A WOMAN SUBSCRIBER.

HOMER ANDREWS TO ALBANY, GA.

Homer Andrews of Walker Station left Monday for Albany, Ga., where he will make his home. His wife and three children will follow next fall.

Homer Andrews and his father, R. B. Andrews of Macon, have a plantation near Albany, and Homer goes there to develop the place. The two have been engaged in the grain business at Walker and Macon for some time The father continue to hold the elevator at Macon.

Homer Andrews was accompanied south today by R R. Armstrong and C. A. Miller of Macon The latter two went along for the pleasure of the trip, the three going in Mr. Andrews' automobile. The Macon men expect to return in about two weeks.

William Hanks Pleads Guilty.

William Hanks, arrested on a state warrant sworn out by his wife, who charges him with assault, pleaded guilty in Justice James O'Mara's court Monday and was fined $10 and costs. A peace warrant was also sworn out for him and he will have a hearing on that next Monday.

GET CARD FROM JACK HAMILTON

Written Four Days Before His Death.

Not unlike a voice from the grave was a post card received by Mrs. Lena Hamilton, 1219 North College street, Monday, from her son, William J. (Jack) Hamilton, in France. Young Hamilton, who was a first lieutenant in the U. S. ambulance service, died on May 4 of wounds received while on duty in the Verdun sector.

Lieut Hamilton wrote the card on May 1 and it was postmarked on May 6. When he wrote the card he of course had no idea that he was soon to lay down his life for the cause. He says on his card

"May 1, 1918.
"Somewhere in France.

"Dear Folks:

"I guess I have not written for some time, which means nothing unusual only that it has been inconvenient to write. Our mail has been rather irregular. I received the papers but not the packages nor the insurance application. Never have received the box from Mr. Judy.

"Wish you could send some Eveready safety razor blades, some dental floss and a pneumatic pillow. We have had rain most every day through April and today, too. With love to all, "JACK."

Lieut. Hamilton was insured with the United States government war risk bureau for $10,000 and this amount will be paid to his widowed mother. Lieut. Hamilton had been planning to leave the ambulance service and enter the U. S tank service as he believed he could drive one of the big tanks into battle. He met death, however before he could make the change.

MISS LAURA BAILEY DIES AT ROSEMOND

Pana, May 28—Miss Laura Bailey, aged sixty-four, prominent woman of Rosemond, died at 3 o'clock Tuesday morning at the home of her brother, Charles Bailey, o and one-half miles south of Rosemond She was president of the Woman's club and an active member of the Congregational church.

Besides her brother, Charles Bailey, she leaves a sister, Lottie Bailey, of Rosemond.

Complete arrangements for the funeral are not yet made, but it will probably be held at 10 o'clock Thursday morning, with burial at Rosemond cemetery.

Tennis Match at Y. M. C. A.

Only one match in the May tennis tournament at the Y. M C. A. was played Monday night, Head meeting defeat at the hands of Morris, 6-3, 6-2

BIG RUSH FOR ICE CREAM MEN

Manufacturers Not Wasting Any Sugar.

The ice cream business started with a rush Saturday and Sunday and it showed no signs of letting up Monday.

The ice cream men are not wasting any sugar, or to speak more properly with respect for those who are particularly fond of ice, they are not using any sugar in making ices.

Ice cream is a fond, says the food administration, and therefore the use of a moderate amount of sugar in its manufacture is looked upo. as permissible But the ice cream makers this year are not making ices or sherbets.

SUPPLY IS SHORT.

The government allotment of cane or beet sugar to the ice cream makers was cut to 70 per cent of what they had last year early this spring and as last season was a comparatively cool one with a consequent less use of sugar than usual, this allotment by the sugar authorities really meant only about 60 per cent of the amount usually needed

However the ice cream men soon solved the difficulty and there will be plenty of ice cream and it will be sweet. Cane sugar and beet sugar will be used but it will be combined with corn syrup and corn sugar so that even a greater amount of ice cream can be made with perhaps only fifty per cent of the amount of sugar used in ordinary times.

The ice cream makers get the syrup in barrels and while it is only about three-fifths as sweet as sugar its use with a part of the usual amount of sugar gives entirely satisfactory results.

MISS MABEL TREAT RECEIVES OFFER

Former Decatur Y. W. C. A. Woman Wanted in France.

Miss Mabel Treat of Minneapolis, formerly physical director at the Y. W. C. A., in a recent letter to a Decatur friend mentions the fact that she was recently asked to consider going to France as a physical director. Most of the work, she said, would be among girls in the ammunition factories, etc. Miss Treat does not expect to plan to go.

Miss Treat says that she is very much interested in the reconstruction hospitals, and she may decided to try that line of work.

Miss Treat is physical director of a Minneapolis high school. At the head of the physical work of the school system there is another young woman, who was formerly Y. W. C. A. physical director in Decatur. She was formerly Miss Jessie Spore, but since leaving here she has been married.

Leg Sore

A huge sore—very deep—full of foul discharge. Agony all day; no rest at night. Then just a few drops of the gentle, cooling liquid, D. D. D. Irritation and pain gone. Sweet, refreshing sleep at night. In due time, complete healing. We guarantee D. D. D. 35c, 60c and $1.00. Ask for D. D. D. today.

D.D.D. The Liquid Wash

DECATUR DRUG CO. H. W. BELL, Druggist.

ALL READY FOR THE REGISTRATION

Cards, Blanks and Other Equipment Is Received.

Registration cards, blanks, etc., for the registration of young men for the second selective draft have been received in Decatur. All young men who have reached the age of 21 years between June 5, 1917, and June 5, 1918, are required to register on June 5. They should bear in mind that there is only one day in which to register, and that is Wednesday, June 5. They will all register at the court house. This applies to both city and Macon county men.

The office of the registration boards will open at 7 o'clock in the morning and remain open until 9 o'clock that night. Any who fail to register will be severely dealt with by the government. The rule is very strict. The registration boards will have enough assistants to do the work promptly, so the registrants will not be seriously inconvenienced.

RED CROSS RHEUMATIC REMEDY

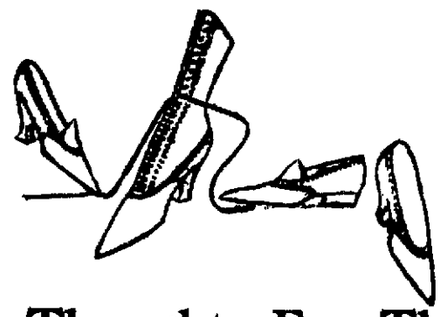
It's great advantage over other rheumatic medicines lies in the fact that it does not disturb the stomach. Many cases have been permanently cured by this remedy. This and more than one hundred other Red Cross Remedies sold and guaranteed only by

Gardner's Drug Store, Dale Harding and Miller Drug Co.

THIN, NERVOUS PEOPLE SHOULD TAKE PHOSPHATE

Weak, thin people—men or women—are nearly always nervous wrecks; this conclusively proving that thinness, weakness, debility and neurasthenia are almost invariably due to nerve starvation. Feed your nerves and all these symptoms due to nerve starvation will disappear. Eminent specialists state that the best nerve food is an organic phosphate known among druggists as Bitro-Phosphate, a five-grain tablet of which should be taken with each meal. Being a genuine nerve builder and not a stimulant or habit forming drug, Bitro-Phosphate can be safely taken by the weakest and most delicate sufferer, and the results following its use are often simply astonishing. Weak, tired people regain strength and vigor; thinness and angularity give way to plumpness and curves, sleep returns to the sleepless, confidence and cheerfulness replace debility and gloom, dull eyes become bright, and pale, sunken cheeks regain the pink glow of health. Bitro-Phosphate, the use of which is inexpensive, also wonderfully promotes the assimilation of food, so much so that many people report marked gains of weight in a few weeks.

CAUTION:—Although Bitro-Phosphate is unsurpassed for relieving nervousness, sleeplessness and general weakness, it should not, owing to its remarkable flesh-growing properties, be used by anyone who does not desire to put on flesh. It is sold in this city by Decatur Drug Co., and all good druggists.



Some Shoe Thoughts For The Thrifty

In Germany

A pair of ordinary shoes cost $40 and you've got to have a "Prussianized" permit [illegible]fore you can buy them at all.

It's very much [illegible]ent here. Prices have gone up, because of leather shortage, but anyone can buy shoes without asking city hall about it.

Special Values For Decoration Day

Here are good looking shoes that will meet the needs of Decoration Day tramps and give satisfactory service long after the national day is spent. Stylish models of splendid quality, sensibly shaped and very moderately priced.

Extra Special

Women's Kid one (1) strap slipper, low and medium heels.

$1.98

Cole's Bargain Basement

THE STORE THAT MAKES THE PRICE

H. S. GEBHART CO.

GREATER DECATUR'S GREATEST STORE

Notice! Rug Buyers!

Selling Out Sale

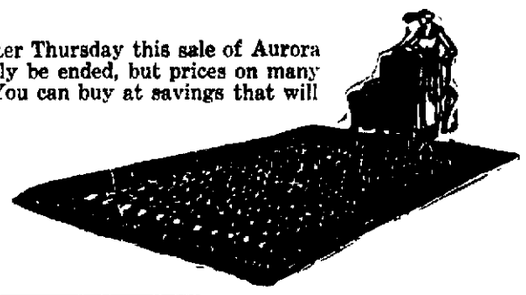
of the Entire Stock of

Aurora House Furnishing Co.

Only 2 More Days

Ends June 1st

—It's time to be up and doing; after Thursday this sale of Aurora Housefurnishing Stock will not only be ended, but prices on many regular lines must go up again. You can buy at savings that will not be duplicated in two years.



$6.50 Congoleum Rugs in the 6x9 size for $3.95

—Slightly imperfect Congoleum rugs in the 6x9 size; for bed rooms, kitchens, dining rooms, porches. List price $6.50. Sale price, $3.95.

$27.50 Brussels 9x12 Rugs $19.50

—You'll pay $32.50 or $35 for these same 9x12 Tapestry Brussels rugs in the Fall. Small all-over and floral designs. Hurry if you want one $19.50

$40 Axminsters and Velvets $29.50

—Only a few of these 9x12 Axminsters and Velvets left at this price, but they're choice ones. Not one worth less than $40. Sale price $20.50

$35.00 Extra Size Room Rugs, $27.50

—We'll soon pay $27.50 for 11-3x12 rugs of this same grade; that'll mean another substantial increase. If you need a large rug come in by Thursday. Choice $27.50

$1.75 Inlaid Linoleum Remnants at 95c sq. yd.

—They're 10-yard remnants and less of genuine inlaids with colors clear through. You'll never see high grade inlaids at such a bargain in many a day. Values to $1.75, a square yard 95c

In the Draperies

20c Scrims 11c Yard

—Going fast!

—These scrims at 11c a yard oughtn't last through tomorrow.

—They're regular 15c, 18c and 20c qualities; plain and colored border effects, 36 inches wide.

—Get yours tomorrow.

40c Marquisettes 29c a Yard

These fine marquisettes are 36 inches wide, in white, ecru, Arabe. Worth all of 40c a yard today. All in this sale, at the yard 29c

NEPONSET Floor Covering

NOW 59c

June 1st It Advances

—If you want a floor covering that will outwear any printed linoleum under a dollar a square yard, that comes in patterns suitable for every room from bedrooms to kitchen, that is clean, sanitary, waterproof and that lies flat without tacking, come in and see Neponset. Buy what you need of it before the price advances June 1.

Extra! Extra!

15c Wall Paper

10c Roll

—Part of a leading mill's surplus stock of bed-room papers.

—The prettiest you have ever laid eyes on.

—Floral and conventional stripes, and dainty all-over effects, pinks, yellows, blues, greys.

—50 different designs for selection.

—Certainly now is your time to refresh bedroom walls.

Society

MISS GODWIN IS TUESDAY BRIDE

Wedding to B. C. Patterson This Evening.

THE WEDDING of Miss Elsie Godwin and Bernard C. Patterson will take place at 6 o'clock this evening at the Godwin home 11 [illegible] West Decatur street. The ceremony will be performed by Rev. T. Harle Marsh pastor of the First Baptist church [illegible] Rev. B. M. [illegible] uncle of the bride will offer prayer. During the ceremony [illegible] will be furnished by [illegible] M. Millen.

A two course [illegible] will be served after the wedding [illegible] the bride will be [illegible] in a basket of tulle and about the house [illegible] bride's roses and smilax.

Out of town guests who will be here for the wedding will be Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Gunder and Mrs. [illegible] Howell of Fairmount, and Mrs. Helen Gunder of [illegible]

Mrs. Dela Gushard and daughter Geraldine and Louise will be home the latter part of the week from their eastern trip.

MR. and MRS. F. M. [illegible] will entertain the high school faculty and the wives of the married men of the faculty Wednesday evening at their home [illegible] South Crea street. Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] Ingleman will be guests also.

Active and a number of the alumnae girls of Eta Phi sorority were the guests of Miss Irene Hammer at her informal tea Monday evening.

Snapdragons were the flowers used. Light refreshments were served.

TWENTY-SEVEN members of Psalemas division of the Woman's club enjoyed the picnic supper at the home of Miss Lida Delatush 1205 North Broadway Monday evening this being the last meeting of the division for the season.

The supper was served on the lawn on a long table which contained all [illegible] of good things to eat. After the supper the members told stories, sang songs and chatted until time to go home.

[illegible] literature [illegible] have its [illegible] meeting [illegible] afternoon and [illegible] Wednesday [illegible]

S[illegible]

[illegible] Mrs. [illegible]

Vice [illegible] Mrs. [illegible] Wright

Secretary [illegible]

Mr. W. [illegible] Mrs. Mary Humphrey [illegible] the new [illegible] Miss Margaret Crissey will have charge of the fall time [illegible] work. Following the meeting [illegible] the afternoon was [illegible] and refreshments were served.

BETWEEN [illegible] and five hundred were [illegible] at the regular monthly Elks Ladies card party Monday afternoon. Thrift stamps were given as prizes. The women will continue to [illegible] thrift [illegible] the prizes during the war.

It was voted to give $[illegible] to the national Red Cross war fund.

Hostesses were Mrs. W. [illegible] Mrs. [illegible] Finderman and Mrs. [illegible] [illegible] next month will be Mrs. A. L. Cantrall, Mrs. J. J. Caldwell and Mrs. A. R. Coggan.

COLLEGE CLUB ELECTS OFFICERS

NEW officers, except that of president were elected by the College club at its meeting Monday night at the Y. W. C. A. As the nominee for president could not serve, that office was left vacant for the present. The other officers are

Vice president — Helen Bishop, I. M. I.

Secretary — Bernice Harrison, U. of I.

Treasurer — Mrs. Mettlin Craig, I. M. I.

Hospitality committee — Eunice Mackael Northwestern.

Civics committee — Eugenia Allin, U. of I.

Director of two years — Jessie Lockett Smith.

The nominating committee was composed of Miss Lucy Durfee, Florence Page, Mrs. Isabelle Machan.

It was decided to send a birthday present to the little war orphan supported by the club, as she will be four years old June 14. Since that is flag day a little American flag will be sent with the $5 birthday gift. It was recommended that the war orphan be kept another year and also that the club's membership in the tuberculosis society and in the social service bureau be also kept another year. The child welfare movement was endorsed and it was agreed to help in whatever way possible.

Miss Jessie Lockett is president of the good feeling and cooperation among the club members and also of the unassuming but substantial growth of the college club and how it had helped in promoting interest in college education and in serving the community.

MRS. CAROLA LOOS TOOKER leaves Wednesday for her summer vacation. She is going to Bloomington first to spend a day or two with Mrs. Ralph DeMange and from there goes to Chicago for a week with her daughter, Mrs. August Strauch. Then she goes on to Newaygo Mich. where she will be for the summer. One of her former pupils has offered her the use of a cottage there for the summer.

For some years past she has always [illegible] the summer at Lamona Mich. [illegible] the cottage she occupied there [illegible] been burned to the ground.

Mrs. Tooker will return about Sept. [illegible] Mrs. Strauch will spend part of the summer with her. Mrs. Edward [illegible] her other daughter will remain in Decatur during the summer.

LOSERS ENTERTAINED THE SIX WINNERS

Six losers of the season's games in a card club entertained the six winners Monday evening. The invitations sent out sounded as if the party was to be a dinner at the Orlando but when the girls met two cars were waiting bearing the signs "Seeing Decatur" and after telling the guests that they were going to see the city they drove out to Faries park where a chicken dinner was served. Later in the evening the party returned and attended the Lincoln.

The hostesses at the party were Mrs. Leo Hayes, Mrs. Sam Durbin, Miss Dena Noonan, Miss Gertrude Keeler, Miss Margaret Wiefel, and Miss Irene Weigand. The guests were Ina Finnell, Zillah Finnell, Mabel Collins, Mrs. Max Schulke, Helen Wiefel, and Celeste Abel.

OPERA EVENING MUCH ENJOYED

The opera evening of the Millikin Conservatory of Music Monday night reflected great credit on those who took part and those who had arranged for the evening. It was something new at the conservatory and it proved all and more than had been expected. A good sized audience was present and thoroughly enjoyed the evening. Much credit is due Mrs. Rose Porch who did the coaching.

The program consisted of two parts the first being the opera arias sung by Helen Grossman, Florence Flynn and semi-chorus Edna Shelby, Helen Cantrell and Beatrice Fagen, and the duet by Jessie Johnston and Harold Lucas. They were extremely well given.

The second part was the second act of Weber's opera, "Der Freischutz" which was presented by Elizabeth Cope as Agnes, Grace Record as Annie and Kenneth Pound as Max. The overture to the opera was played by Eloise Jacobs, Grace Wandel, Sylvia Fisk and Ruth Muir. The three who gave this second act were in special costumes. Gladys Orr was the accompanist. The accompanists for the first part of the program were Mary Keith, and Sylvia Fisk.

OFF ON MONTH'S AUTOMOBILE TRIP

H. D. Warner and Family Go Through the East.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Warner and sons, David and Jonathan, will leave Tuesday for South Bend, where they will join Mrs. Warner's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Westervelt, for a month's auto trip through New York and Massachusetts. Mr. Westervelt is president of the E-Z Opener Bag company of Decatur, and Mr. Warner is connected with the same company. The boys will stay in South Bend while the others are on the trip.

SPECIAL CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SERVICE

In accordance with the request contained in the proclamation of President Wilson appointing Thursday, May 30, as a day of prayer and fasting, the Church of Christ Scientist will hold a special service at 11 a. m. on that day in the church at 145 West Prairie avenue. The service will include besides prayer and hymns a reading of the President's Proclamation and passages suitable to the occasion from the Bible and Science and Health with key to the scriptures by Mary Baker Eddy. The public is cordially invited to attend.

TWO LARGE FIRES IN ONE NIGHT

One in Decatur; One in Warrensburg.

Decatur and Warrensburg staged two fair sized fires Monday night, at least a little larger than the ordinary. Fire was discovered in the top of the residence of Professor Max R. Scheiter at 1425 North Water street, at 1:15 Tuesday morning by W. T. Delahunty, who resides next door and a pedestrian passing by. The roof of the house was well in flames and it required three streams of hose before the department could get it under control.

LOSSES OF OCCUPANTS

While the department soon extinguished the blaze, they were forced to pour in so much water, that considerable damage was done in this way. The house is a large twelve room structure and was occupied by Mr. Scheiter and three other tenants. Their losses are estimated as follows:

M. R. Scheiter—$1,550 loss on house and $250 on contents, covered by insurance.

J. M. Jones—$25 on furniture, no insurance.

J. T. Mahan—$.50 on furniture no insurance.

J. W. Linnen—$50 on furniture, insured.

The origin of the flames is entirely unknown. Some of the tenants remained in the house after the blaze was extinguished while others spent the remainder of the night with neighbors.

AT WARRENSBURG

The R. E. Majors meat market and building occupied by the market and owned by R. H. Schroeder in Warrensburg were completely destroyed by fire at 11 o'clock Monday night. This place was a total loss. A small building owned by the Macon County Telephone company, on the rear of an adjoining lot, and containing telephone wire and other things was also burned and damage was done to the stock of the Community Drug and Grocery store, which had flour stored in a rear room.

This fire was discovered by Mrs. R. Herrod, who lives next to the meat market. It attracted farmers and autoists from all the country round, and they aided the Warrensburg fire fighters in keeping the blaze from spreading, there being no hopes of saving the buildings then on fire. A very good fight was made in saving the livery stable just across the alley from the telephone company's building.

Mr. Majors puts his loss at $1000 and insurance at $600 while Mr. Schroeder puts his loss on the building at about $700 with no insurance. The loss to the telephone company is estimated at $350 with no insurance and to the Community store the loss on stock is about $200.

All of these buildings were frame structures north of the railroad track and on the east side of the main business street. The origin of this fire is also a puzzle but it is thought to have started near the center of the meat market.

Met Decatur Sailors at Great Lakes.

Rev. Robert Irwin who attended the general Presbyterian assembly in Columbus O. last week stopped at Great Lakes to visit his son Bliss, both on his way to Columbus and on his way back.

The second time he stopped he also saw Fred Glose and Hobert Scofield. All three of the boys sent their regards to their Decatur friends and wished to be remembered to them.

HAVE THREE SONS IN FRANCE

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Corley now have three sons in France.

Word has just been received by them of the safe arrival overseas of their son, Howard, who is with the 33rd engineers. His two brothers, Warren and Seymour are already in France.

BIG CROWDS AT MOOSE CARNIVAL

Allen Shows Please Audience on Opening Night.

If the first night business of the Moose carnival is any indication, the week should prove a big success and money maker for the lodge and carnival company. There was an unusually large crowd for the opening night and all shows were well attended. The company has eighteen shows in all including riding devices and other attractions but owing to the great shortage of help four or five of the attractions were not set up and in working order.

The new Ferris wheel had arrived Monday but was not set up. It is to be put up Tuesday and ready for use.

BIG SHIPMENT OF MILK TO DECATUR

$7,200 a Year in Revenue Received by the Illinois Central.

The Illinois Central ticket office at Decatur is receiving an average of $20 a day from the sale of milk tickets. This foots up the handsome yearly total of $7,200. Milk comes by the Illinois Central from sixty different stations, from as far north as Rutland in LaSalle county and as far south as Hallidayborough in Jackson county. The rate varies from 12 cents to 21 cents a can.

This represents but a small portion of the milk that comes to Decatur. There are three other railroads that bring in milk to say nothing of that which is carried by express, which is the bulk of the milk and cream shipped.

Amoma Class Elects.

The Amoma class of the East Park Baptist church met Monday night with Mrs. Lynn Shockey, 1404 East William street. New officers were elected at this time. They are

President—Mrs. Portwood

Vice president—Mrs. Shockey

Secretary—Mrs. Walsh

Treasurer—Mrs. Burgner

Teacher—Mrs. Wood

Assistant teacher—Mrs. Portwood

The hostess served light refreshments. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. W. F. Walsh.

White Rose Club Dance

The White Rose club, L. A. to B. of R. T. will give a Red Cross benefit dance Wednesday night in the K. P. hall in the Powers building. The Cox orchestra of nine pieces will furnish the music, having donated its services.

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-for-

Decoration Day

Leave Your Order

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FLAGS

You'll now find in our store a complete showing of flags of all descriptions—Service Flags—both for the soldiers and for the nurse—the new Illinois State Flag, etc.

Many New War Books Now On Sale

GIFTS FOR THE SOLDIERS

Comfort Kits—Fountain Pens—Money Belts—Vest Pocket Cameras—and many other articles that are sure to be appreciated.

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Good Eyes and Good Looks

The surest way to preserve your good looks is by taking good care of your eyes.

Nothing brings wrinkles more quickly than eye strain—and glasses need not be unbecoming. Are you ready to consider glasses that will make your eyes just what they ought to be?

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Tomorrow Morning At 8

We Will Have Our Popular End-of-the-Month Sale of

REMNANTS

YOU should be here promptly tomorrow morning for our big stock clearance in wash fabrics and woolens. All the short lengths that have accumulated during our May Sales are to be closed out.

Remnants of Woolens

We will have hundreds of useful lengths in wool dress goods. Every one will appreciate the opportunity to buy woolens at a reduction, for the market today is very abnormal. Even should you keep these fabrics until next Fall, you should buy in this sale.

Wool Goods in Values up to 75c, a yd. 29c
Wool Goods in Values up to $1, a yd. 59c
Wool Goods in Values up to $2, a yd. 79c

Wash Goods Remnants

There is an immense quantity of short lengths in colored wash fabrics—one of the best assortments ever put into our Remnant Sales. Beautiful colorings and patterns in Ginghams, Voiles, Skirtings, Crepes, Linens and printed fabrics.

Wash Goods Values up to 50c, for a yd. 19c
Wash Goods Values up to 75c, for a yd. 29c
Wash Goods Values up to $1, for a yd. 39c
Wash Goods Values up to $1.50, for a yd. 49c

PLENTY OF FLAGS FOR MEMORIAL DAY

THIS year, perhaps, more than ever before "Old Glory" should wave from every house top on Memorial day. For the information of every family who does not possess a flag, this is to inform you that we can supply you with most any size flag that is made. Our stock has been replenished, for this week's selling.

Cotton Flags, 3x5 feet, sewed stripes, at $1.25

Cotton Flags, 4x6 feet, pole, bracket and rope complete at $1.75

Cotton Flags, 5x8 feet, pole, bracket and rope, sewed stripes, complete at $3.00

Cotton Flags, 12x18 inches, special for... 10c

Flags of all Nations—all sizes up to 18x24 at from 10c to 50c

Cotton Flags, 24x36 inches, special at.... 75c

Army and Navy Wool Flags, 5x8 feet, sewed stars & stripes $13.75

Army and Navy Wool Flags, 6x9 ft., sewed stars & stripes $16.50

Army and Navy Wool Flags, 6x10—8x12 and 10x15 feet, sewed stars and stripes, extra well made—at from $16.50 to $37.50

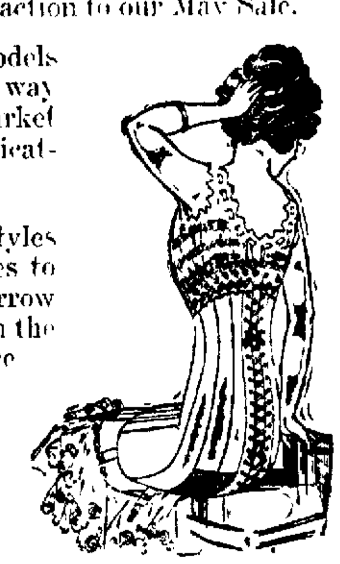
Cotton Flags, 6x9 feet, sewed stars and stripes...... $6.50

Cotton Flag, 5x8 feet, fast colors $4.00

Wednesday, We Will Sell Regular $2 Corsets For $1.50

THROUGH fortunate buying, our corset department is in position to make a very special offer for one day's selling—tomorrow.

We secured an extensive shipment of high grade corsets, from a leading manufacturer, just to add one more big attraction to our May Sale.



These are new models that retail in a regular way at $2 and on today's market basis, could not be duplicated for less than $2.50.

We have several styles and a full range of sizes to go into this sale tomorrow morning. Come early in the day and take your choice.

$1.50

Today, We Offer the Season's Very Best Selection in

White Goods

DON'T DELAY your purchase of white goods for the summer, for when present stocks are exhausted, assortments can not be so complete and prices may be higher.

White Tricotine.
A new weave this season that is very desirable for suits and separate skirts, moderately priced at a yard 85c

White Piques
36 inch widths in all size welts, exceptionally good for collars and cuffs; also a wide range in the novelties, some excellent values at a yard, 85c, 75c, 50c and 45c

Fancy Organdies
A beautiful line of these sheer, crisp finished fabrics, 36 to 45 inches wide in checks, stripes and small shadowy designs. Some special values at a yard $1.00 to 25c

Luna Lawn.
A plain, sheer fabric, 28 to 45 inches wide, that launders like a linen, especially good for dresses and waists. A wide range of values at a yard, 50c to 25c

Flesh Nainsook.
A fine soft finished nainsook, in that much desired flesh tint, at the following prices a yard, 40c, 35c and 29c

10 Yards 28c Longcloth $2.45
Extra quality in a fine soft finish English Longcloth, one that will wear and launder well, specially priced at a yard 28c, or 10 yards for $2.45

U. S. AVIATORS MAKE FLIGHT TO PANA

2 Lieutenants Were Guests of Pana Lawyer.

Pana, May 28.—Lieutenants Yarbrau and Abney, aviators from the Scott aviation field at Belleville, made a trip to Pana in an airplane Sunday and were entertained at dinner at the home of Attorney J. W. Priehs on East Third street.

Lieut. Yarbrau is a member of the same fraternity at the Oklahoma State University as Carl Priehs, a Pana boy, who is a student there.

At the time of Yarbrau's enlistment Mr. Priehs told him when he got into Illinois he should make an aviation trip to Pana to visit his brother, Attorney Priehs and it was in response to this invitation that the aviators made a trip to Pana.

The visit here of an airplane was a treat for Pana people and no less than a thousand people visited the field where the men alighted a short distance north west of Pana during their stay here.

The Aviators circled Pana several times before leaving. It is probable that field where flyers can land will be established near Pana soon as a suitable place is procurable adjoining the park. This matter will be taken up and considered upon the advice of Lieut. Abney.

TAYLORVILLE MEN ARRIVE OVERSEAS

Taylorville, May 28.—Unit W, in which are Dr. D. F. Morton, Clarence Abrams, Fred Eichelberger, Ray O. Hopson, O. E. Daggett, Burrell Woolf, Roscoe Prater, and several others from here, has arrived overseas.

A card received by Perry Hopson today from his brother, Ray, conveyed the glad tidings. The arrival was last Friday.

Cards are left behind signed up and when the cable "Safe" announces the arrival of the boat on the other side, the cards are sent out.

Ray's card was mailed from Washington, D. C.

CHURCH CORNERSTONE LAYING.

One of the big events to be held in South Work this week, will be the corner stone laying of the fine new catholic church. The new structure is located about two miles southeast of Sicily and is known as St. Michael's church.

The ceremonies will take place Sunday afternoon June 2 starting at 2.30 o'clock. The very Rev. Timothy Hickey, V. G. of Springfield, will be in charge of the services and Rev. Thomas Fennessy of St. Patrick's church of Springfield, will deliver the sermon. The ladies of the church will serve lunch and refreshments. This will be one of the memorable events in church annals in this section.

GRADUATION EXERCISES.

The graduation exercises of the city schools will be held at the Methodist church, this evening. There will be a class of 118, the largest ever completing the grade school work here.

Hugh S. Magill, director of the Illinois Centennial, will deliver an address on the subject, "American Patriotism."

The program follows:
March—Eulala Drury.
Invocation—Rev. J. F. Bickel.
Roses—Estelle Cushman.
The Bluebirds—Nyles Foster.
The Wind—Victor Herbert.
The Fisherman Prayer—A. N. Myrberg.
Chorus.
Address—Hugh S. Magill.
Presentation of Diplomas—Co. Supt. H. L. Fowkes.
My Flag and Your Flag—Frederick Ryder.
Awake America—Ottilie M. Reupke.
Chorus.
"Star Spangled Banner"—Audience.
Benediction—Rev. G. W. Flagge.

Relatives of Owen C. Markwell at Stonington, received cards yesterday announcing his safe arrival over seas.

Mr. Markwell is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Hardy Marwkell of Stonington. He was a student at the University of Illinois when he enlisted in Co. E 318th engineers last December.

THREE TOWNSHIPS OVER TOP.

Pana, King and Ricks townships have reported "over the top" in their drive for the second Red Cross war fund. Pana's quota was $6,000; King, $510, and Ricks, $1,740.

Taylorville now has slightly over $4,000, on its quota of $6,600. The entire county has reached the half way mark, $15,000.

MINE MANAGER QUITS.

David Jones, mine manager at the old coal mine from the day it was sunk 30 years ago until abandoned three years ago and later assistant mine manager at the other mine here, has retired.

MINERS LOYAL.

The miners of Taylorville are 100 per cent loyal in the big war which now engulfs the world.

They have shown it in all the campaigns for the Red Cross, Y. M. C. A., Liberty Bonds and War Stamps, subscribing liberally and cheerfully.

In order to aid in the present Red Cross campaign and to provide a war chest for future campaigns where contributions are asked they have voted a levy of 25 cents per member each pay, which comes every two weeks.

This is 50 cents a month and it means about $2,600 a year.

31 GRADUATE AT ASSUMPTION HIGH

Assumption, May 28.—The second largest class ever to leave the Assumption township high school, was graduated Friday evening. The exercises were held at the Mitchell and Abell hall and a large crowd of parents and friends were in attendance. When the class entered the school it numbered sixty-seven and when leaving it numbered thirty-one.

Hildrid Kuhle was valedictorian and Paul Picker salutatorian.

Howard Potter, a former resident of this city, now a sophomore in the James Millikin university and a member of the Millikin Glee club sang a vocal solo.

L. C. Lord, president of the Eastern Illinois State Normal school at Charleston, made the address of the evening. The program follows:

Music—Orchestra.
Invocation—Rev. J. C. Enninger.
Vocal solo—Mrs. Elizabeth Corzine.
Salutatory—Paul Picker.
Vocal solo—Howard Potter.
Address—Prof. L. C. Lord.
Vocal solo—Marjorie Lloyd.
Valedictory—Hildred Kuhle.
Presentation of class—S. S. Simpson.
Presentation of diplomas—Dr. G. J. Rivard.

The members of the class include, Marvel Myers, Ruth Newcomb, Hildrid Kuhle, Alvin Vilmure, Gordan Price, Paul Picker, Gladys Dickson, Hazeal Obourn, Harmon Myers, Floyd Padgett, Nellie Mounts, Vina Linstrum, Marie Long, Norbert La Rochelle, Florence Lambert, Florence Kuhle, Lane Johnson, Mildred Hilton, Anthony Jackson, Gladys Harris, Marie Easton, Derethea Devore, Von Devore, Josie Connors, Elsie Henry, Mildred Clark, Augusta Balliet, Ervel Branyan, John Behl and Francis Alhime.

HENRY S. CULP LEFT 100 ACRES

And 2 Residence Properties in Decatur; Administrator Appointed.

Mrs. Bertha Hipsher has been appointed administrator of the estate of her husband, Robert P. Hipsher, and filed her bond in the sum of $1,500.

Ferdinand L. Clup has been appointed administrator of the estate of Henry S. Culp, and filed his bond in the sum of $2,000. The personal estate is estimated as worth $2,000, and there are two residence properties in Decatur and 100 acres of farm land.

"Another scientific scare."
"Huh?"
"Scientists fear that these immense knitting bugs may cause a race of topsided ladies."

DECORATION DAY SPECIALS

For Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday

Many tempting Specials have been prepared for these days and we advise you to do your shopping as early as possible as we close at noon Thursday, May 30, Decoration day.

HIRSCH

Ladies' Tub

Dresses

Made of high grade printed Voiles in a splendid assortment of colors. Has dainty organdie collar and cuffs and wide belt, button trimmings. Priced special at $4.95

Junior and Small Women's Dresses

Made of excellent quality gingham in plain colors and pretty plaids and a good selection of styles. Priced very special at $5.95

Ladies' Voile

Dresses

Made of splendid Voiles in a large selection of styles and beautiful new shades, in combinations and solid effects. Splendid values priced at . $6.95

Tub Skirts

In a mammoth assortment of beautiful styles, made of piques, linenes, repps, gaberdines, etc., etc., ranging in price from

$1.25 up to $5.95

New White Millinery Is Featured

At Only $3.49

For beauty of line—for harmonious color combinations—for general becomingness—this collection of white millinery cannot be surpassed. The note of exclusiveness has extended even to the trimmings—flowers and other motifs used most exclusively. Other models, $3.99 and up.

Boys' Blouse Waists

Light and dark colors, sizes 6 to 16 years, tapeless, special at 35c

Boys Wash Pants

Khaki, Palm Beach, Linene and other wanted wash pants for boys 5 to 16 years, special at.. 74c

Boys' Military Hats

Khaki color, Red, White and Blue cord. Special at 45c

Porch Dresses and Aprons

High grade gingham and percale house or porch dresses and aprons in a beautiful assortment of styles and colors. Sizes 36 up to 46. Wonderful values, special at $1.95

Phonograph Records

Extra Special, 200 6 in. Emmerson Records in four different selections, on sale while they last only 5c

Boys Union Suits

Excellent quality Mesh Union Suits for boys 4 to 14 years at..... 39c

Red, White and Blue Half Hose

White mercerized half hose for children, trimmed with red, white and blue stripes, special at .. 29c

Girls Muslin Drawers

Good quality muslin, trimmed with embroidery or tucks, sizes 2 to 12 years, special at 19c

Lynn Perry
905 N. WATER
Call 5257
For Prices On
Fancy Canned
—and—
Dried Fruits
A Full Line of Choice and Fresh Meats

MAL-NUTRITION
Means Starving Nerves

Eupepsia
TABLETS

Help the assimilation of food
Strengthen the Nerves and
Relieve all Distress of the Stomach
Price 50c. For Sale by the
Decatur Drug Co
Write for Free Trial Sample
Eupepsia Chemical Co Monticello, Ill.

HAPPY FEET
Quickly relieves tired, aching feet. Relieves all inflammations. Druggists.
JACK FROST CREAM

RUPTURE CURED

AT HOME
Small Expense
Easy Payments

Since 1883 I have made the treatment of rupture my specialty. You need not lay off from work, as I use neither knife nor injections. My treatment cures rupture in adults and children.

It will pay you to see me this visit, no matter how long you have been ruptured, I will help you. Do not neglect your rupture if it is small and does not annoy you, because you are in danger of strangulation. Remember, large ruptures were once small, hence the sooner you begin treatment the quicker a cure can be effect. If you must wear a truss for comfort and safety, wear Dr. Brown's

WUNDERTRUSS

Without leg straps, elastic bands or torture springs, guaranteed to hold after all others fail and much easier than other trusses. Twenty-four years in Illinois. Endorsed by thousands, many in this city. No experimenting. No guesswork. Call for free trial or write for book and future dates to 45 W. 34th, New York City.

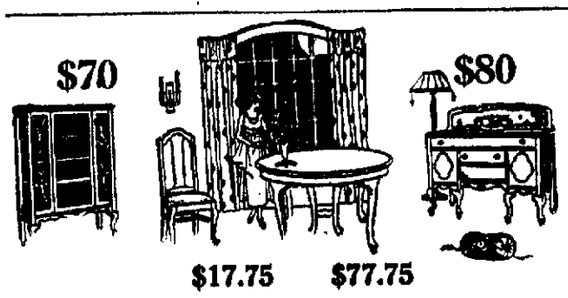
M. H. BROWN, M. D.

Next Visit to Decatur, Kraft Hotel, Wednesday, May 29th, 8 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Bachman-Bros & Martin Co. | "The House of things that are best" | Bachman-Bros & Martin Co.

What is in a name?

It's the old, old question. Yet it contains much food for reflection. Take a moment—when wanting anything to furnish the home—ask yourself if the name of Bachman Bros. and Martin Co. stands for dependability—whether they live fully up to their contracts to the letter—if their goods are those that the manufacturer has such faith in that he is ready to stand behind them—thereby assuring you of a double guarantee of their quality—the manufacturers and ours. Do you think the manufacturers would spend thousands of dollars for advertising space in national magazines, to send into millions of homes, if his goods were substitutes for an article of quality, or if an original patent, it could not stand the test of time? Let not price warp your judgment—answer these questions fairly to yourself—then look over items listed below. Our confidence in your judgment will not be misplaced. Special concessions in price during June.



Period Furniture For Better Homes

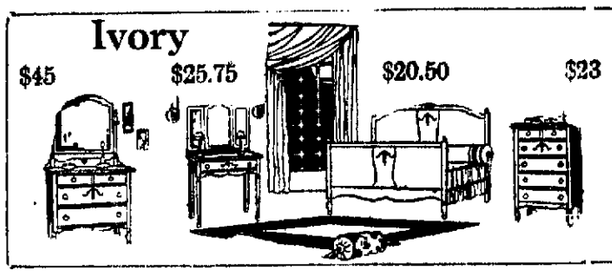
With the fitting up of the new home one should remember that the best and greater part of their life is before them, and that only the better furniture is the most economical. The increasing cost of lumber will make furniture increase from year to year as it becomes more scarce. Therefore the best grades should be purchased although it does cost a little more. The period furniture is ideal as it is made of the best materials and the styles are permanent. The illustration shows the beautiful Queen Anne style in a dining room suite.

The Useful Buffet

Golden Oak
$20.50
Upwards

Is shown in many of the period styles at values that could not be duplicated at the price today in the market and those wanting a real quality at a very reasonable price will find especial value here at this time. This massive model is a splendid representation of the old Colonial Period. It is but one of the many models which are priced upwards of

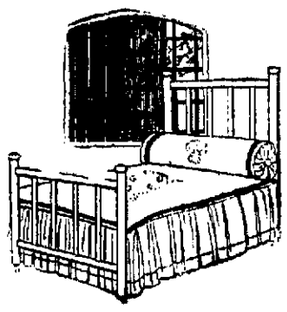
$20.50



BEAUTY and CHARM

Are expressed in every line of this old Colonial bed room suite. The massiveness of this period is relieved in design that is truly charming. You may have your choice of Mahogany, American Walnut or Ivory finishes, but the Ivory is indeed beautiful and would make a wonderfully tasty bedroom. The ivory finish is an extra value at only $114.25.

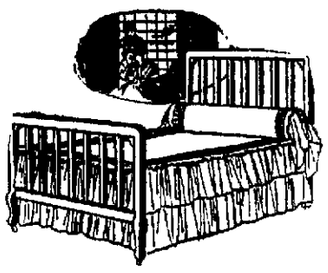
SPECIAL QUOTATIONS ON BEDS



A REAL BEAUTY

Here is shown a wonderful value in metal bed that comes in three finishes—Circausan Walnut, Brown Mahogany and Vernis Martin that are very extraordinary values at the price.

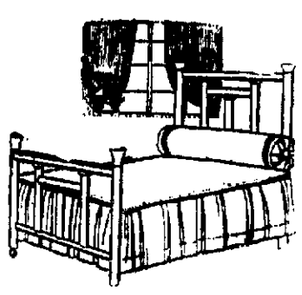
Circausan Walnut $18
Brown Mahogany $19
Vernis Martin $18



The Simple Lines

Of this model hold a charm for all that behold it. Very substantially made in two very popular finishes—Circausan Walnut and Vernis Martin—upon an extra good grade of bed steel which warrants very long wear.

Circausan Walnut .. $20.00
Vernis Martin $19.25



Here indeed is a value that will appeal to those wanting beauty and long wear. Corner posts are three inches in diameter with 2-inch inside fillers. Full size. Shown in the

Vernis Martin $19.25
Satin Finish $33.00

Telephone and chair $6.25

Every home can afford the convenience of a telephone and chair at the prices we note. The illustration shows a very good grade in the fumed oak finish at only $6.25.

$13.00

The Excellent Quality

Construction of this beautiful library table cannot be shown adequately by a picture. It's massive appearance added to its substantial construction makes a value that we art not very often able to offer. In the fumed finish, quarter sawed oak, at only $13

Gurney Refrigerator $24
and upwards

16.50

Most any style or finish is offered in excellent quality from $16.50 upwards.

To insure getting a good tenant for your house, list it with the Bachman Bros. and Martin Co.

For Sale—10 Buff Orpington 10 Rhode Island Red pullets, 5½ mo old full bloods 1800 E. William. Main 667

Mrs. Henry Dubes called at 9 a. m. asking that we please kill the above ad, as all the chickens were sold before breakfast this morning. The ad appeared the first time last night and Mrs. Dubes had received 12 calls before 6 yesterday evening. This is only one of hundreds of ads that secure like results in The Review If you wish to sell or buy anything of value a Review ad will do it in the quickest possible time Our phone No. is Main 551.

LOST AND FOUND.

Lost—Saturday package on N. Water St wrapped in Gebhart's paper. Contained 2 baby shirts. Main 45 C

Lost—Pair nose glasses Saturday morning between 900 E. William and Wabash depot. Reward. Phone Fairview 391

Lost—Sunday at transfer house on Edward car black leather purse containing money and K. W. C. A. membership card of Grace Cooper. Call Main 1 2 Reward

Lost—Bunch of keys on keyring between Powers Bldg and New Buffum Bldg Saturday night. Return to 431 Powers Bldg or call Main 2452. Reward

Lost—A roll of films at Wabash Station. Return 1045 N. Church

Lost—On Edward St. Car a pocketbook containing $1 25. Party who took purse is known. Return to Haines & Eastick and avoid trouble

WANTED—POSITIONS

Wanted—Position as general office girl, shorthand and typewriting. F 997 Review

Capable Salesman desires a new connection with reliable firm. A 1 references. City or road. For interview address E 813 Review

Position wanted by competent salesman for city or road work. Some retail experience, married man, at present draft age, with no bad habits. Best of references. Call at 1167 N. Union

Teacher, with Sundays work only forty years old unable to go to front wants to help win the war. College and university graduate. Extensive practical business training. Willing to do what YOU want done. F 918 Review

Wanted By young lady students good place to work for room and board. Main 645C

WANTED—HELP.

Wanted—A dish washer. Apply Cooper's Cafeteria

Wanted—Mechanical and structural draftsmen, lady draftsman can do some of the work. M. Coughlin Coal Reduction Co. 829-5 I St. W. Green St

WANTED—MALE HELP

Wanted—A boy 18 to work in horse shoeing shop. 145 W. William St

Wanted Man to unload coal, steady work. Leader Iron Works.

We will pay big for a good man, must take education and be of good repute. Experience not necessary to teach you. Let us explain. Great Western Accident Insurance Company, Des Moines, Ia

Wanted—Elevator boy at St. Nicholas hotel

Laborers Wanted. Call at 221 Millikin Bank Bldg.

Wanted—Colored porter. Hotel Orlando

Wanted Hotel men and laborers steady work. Leader Ice & Storage Co. Power House

Wanted—Man to handle freight. Apply Wabash Freight House

Wanted A truck driver at Normans Laundry

Wanted—Elevator operators. Apply at office Hotel Orlando

Wanted—Tinners and tee handlers. Polar Ice Co.

Wanted A barber 3 or half over $ 0 job good for $2 to 3 per week. Wire at my expense. F. Monteith Leslie S. F. Main St., Danville Ill

Wanted—2 good painters at once. I. G. Forbes, Fana Ill

Wanted—5 painters and paperhangers. Call Claude Edwards 1742 Whitzel Ave. Main 2717

Wanted—First class barber. Modern shop pays 65% good for $20 to 30 per week. George O. Lund, Tuscola Ill

Wanted--Laborers. A. E. Staley Mfg. Co.

Wanted—10 or 15 teams immediately to haul sand and gravel. Main 56 6

Wanted — Molders, bench and machine, good pay and steady work. No trouble. Transportation paid. Rock Island Mfg Co., Rock Island Ill

Freight handlers wanted at Illinois Central freight house. G. W. Morgan Agt

Wanted—500 men and boys to get their hair cut at Schaniel's 10 E. Main south side square. Haircut 25c shave 15c. Hours 6 30 a m. to 9 00 p m. Sundays 6 30 a m to noon

Blacksmith Wanted—Must be good man. C. A. Smittener Assumption Ill

Wanted—25 Laborers, Men or boys (white or colored.) Wages from $2.75 to $3.00. No railroad fare advanced. Work guaranteed on arrival; steady employment. The Coshocton Glass Co., Coshocton, Ohio.

WANTED—FEMALE HELP.

Wanted—A girl for general house work, also landress 1046 N. Main

Wanted—Lady at Bunner Dairy lunch room. Also a lady or gentleman who can work Saturday evenings and Sunday. Banner Dairy 225 E. William Main 2738.

Wanted Immediately—A girl for general house work, good cook, family of two, no washing or ironing. 234 W. Macon Mrs. C. M. Hurst

Wanted—Woman to clean house 1 weeks work with board and room. Call County 923 ring 1

Wanted—Lady dishwasher. Lincoln Square Cafe.

Wanted—Girl to assist with general house work. Main 3920

Wanted—Young woman for general house work. Apply 1250 N. Church

Wanted—Girls for laundry work. Schudel Bros Laundry

Wanted—An experienced girl and helper on waists. Semmel Dress Making Parlors, 806 Powers Bld. Main 429

Wanted—Waitress. Heady's Cafe

Wanted—Experienced maid for part of house work. Mrs. Walter H. Mills, 1040 Lincoln Ave

Wanted—Girl or woman for general house work, family privileges to the right party. No washing. Apply 948 W. William. Main 2861

Wanted—Chambermaids and scrub women. Apply Housekeeper Hotel Orlando

WANTED—SALESMEN.

Wanted—Salesman, auto and accessories experienced preferred good opportunity to right party. Apply after 8 a m. Fittel Lutwich Co., 341 E. Main

WANTED—TO BUY.

Wanted—To buy a canvas cover 25x30 ft. C. S. Nelson Route No. 1 Decatur Ill

Wanted to Buy—1,000 used bricks. Call or write, 1016 N. Warren St.

Will call any place in city for rags, paper magazines and all kinds of junk. Highest prices paid. Phone Fairview 200.

Highest cash prices for second hand clothing. 545 Front St. Fairview 28

Attention Red Cross and Individuals—Highest market price for old gold, silver, platinum, tin, lead foil, silver plate, old false teeth. Ship at our expense, receive check return mail. If not satisfied will return shipment. References St. Louis Union Bank. Hesberg & Co. Refiners and Smelters 5951 Washington Ave St. Louis Mo

Wanted—Two harrows, three discs, forge tongs, chains. Frank Suffern. Phone 2084

If you want to get more money for your old furniture, rugs, stoves, refrigerators, etc., be sure and have us figure with you before you sell

Davis Furniture Co.
Phone Main 348 138 N. Franklin

WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS

Wanted — Carpenter repair work, small jobs or large. Call Fairview 200 or 11 F. Grand

To Exchange

Your old stove or refrigerator taken in exchange on new furniture. Its Easy to Trade. People Wm. Schaal's Furniture, 1 and 3 W. Land and North Sts. Ad

Expert rug cleaning, reasonable. Prompt service. Tilert

Wanted to do plain sewing at 5 E. Condit. Reasonable price

Wanted Lawn cutting and hauling to do. C. E. Bowman. Main 146

Wanted To deliver coal to you, see for cash. Main 2051. H. F. Hinkert

Well Digging, cellar and tile. T. J. Evans. Main 1125. 148 S. Clay

I will not be responsible for any debts contracted by my wife. Geo. M. Taylor (signed) Henry Taylor

Painting, kalsomining, paper cleaning, window washing, general house cleaning. Call F. J. Taylor. Main 2822

Wanted Washings for people employed promptly done, sanitary, free. 212 Wabash Ave

Wanted Your paper hanging and painting, prompt service, all work guaranteed. C. Tinsley. Phone Fairview 203

Now is your chance to sell your old clothes. Fisher pays highest cash prices. 15 N. Water. Phone 4001. Will call

Wanted Light hauling. Call F. H. Clothier. Bell 4327

Wanted To haul the trash. Call at Call. Main 3407

Piano Tuning W. C. Hopkins. Fairview 1 3. 14 N. College. References

A. B. Waldorf piano tuning and repairing. Best references. Phone 2209

Wanted—You to know that I am able to take care of my customers promptly with your paper hanging and cleaning. Have new line of sample new customers appreciated. T. A. Brackney. Phone 990

Wanted Paper hanging and cleaning. Paper sold and hung at reasonable price. Call C. M. Stearn. Main 1446

Wanted—Paper hanging, cleaning, painting, graining and inside finishing. References if required. All work guaranteed. Davis Bros. Phone F. P. 899 N. Main

If you want your walls neatly papered, floors waxed, polished or varnished, call Allen Page. Also do expert work at plastering, painting and repairing rental properties. 240 W. Main. Phone 511

Wanted—Paper hanging, prompt service. D. M. Smith. Call after 6 p m. Main 1711

WANTED—Your watch repair work. We sell and repair American makes. CRAW the Watch Man, 147 Merchant St

WANTED—All farmers to know that I will pay cash for all dead stock. Wm price, 964 North Monroe. Phones 4431 and 1024

LIGHT HOUSEKEEPING

For Rent — Modern furnished rooms for light housekeeping, private, no children. 420 E. Marietta. Main 473

Wanted to do plain sewing at 5 E. Condit. Reasonable price

For Rent Large rooms for light housekeeping. 1124 W. Wood. Main 6

For Rent — Furn. rooms for light housekeeping. 31 blks. from transfer house. 2 N. New. Main 1771

For Rent Two furn. rooms, mod. light housekeeping, gas stove. Main 2041. 8 N. Edward

For Rent Light housekeeping room, modern. 171 E. Prairie

216 W. William—For rent 2 nice furn. light housekeeping rooms, down stairs, private entrance. Phone Main 4044

For Rent—Modern furn. sleeping room or light housekeeping, private. 115 N. Oil

For Rent — 2 or 3 rooms furnished for housekeeping, but gas range, garden, adults only. Fairview. 171 Main St.

For Rent Furn. rooms for light housekeeping. 808 N. Water

For Rent 3 large furn. housekeeping room, ground floor, cool. 155 N. Franklin

For Rent—2 furn. mod. rooms for light housekeeping, down stairs, no children. 1209 W. Macon. Main 4203

For Rent — 2 or 3 mod. furn. housekeeping rooms, girls employed or man and wife, refined. F 720 Review

For Rent Light housekeeping rooms, modern, west, close in. Main 409

FOR RENT—ROOMS

For Rent Modern room, for sleeping. Phone 6418. 230½ W. Main

For Rent Rooms with running water. New Decatur hotel. 128 W. William

For Rent—Furnished rooms, modern. 840 E. William

For Rent—Comfortable furnished room, with private family, modern. 712 West Main

For Rent Newly furn. rooms all mod. 149 W. Main

For Rent Nicely furnished front bed room, mod., private family. 886 W. Wood. Phone Main 2890

For Rent—2 unfurn. front rooms, mod. except bath. Mrs. Turner. 30 N. Main. Main 677 evenings and Sunday. Main 707

For Rent—Mod. furn. sleeping rooms, gentlemen only. 151 N. Franklin

For Rent — 1 sleeping room. 717 East Prairie

For Rent—332 E. Central Ave. furnished front room on first floor. $1 50 week

Furn. Rooms—Single and double room. Apts. above Weigandt's Grocery, store 2 room house, 1144 S. Colfax St. Call F. C. Bleitelier, 147 N. Water St

For Rent—Mod. furn. sleeping room. Main 4047. 840 W. Main

For Rent—1 or 2 mod. rooms, fine location, west side. Main 3505

For Rent—Large furnished rooms, exclusive, no children. 271 W. North

One strictly modern room with electric lights, telephone, bath, close in, for gentleman only. 230 E. Eldorado. Main 1215

FOR RENT—HOUSES

For Rent—5 room mod. house. 500 Blk S. Haworth. Main 6379

For Rent—One 6 room modern house. Call Main 270

For Rent—Good 5 room house at 1244 Dickinson Ave. Call Main 270

For Rent—House of 5 rooms, large lawn, close in. 508 West North St

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For Rent—Furn. modern 10 room house for 3 months, vacant June 10. Call Main 3172

For Rent 7 room modern house with garage. 224 E. Division. Phones Fairview 24. Main 487

FOR RENT—FLATS.

For Rent—Mod. apartment, 2 rooms and bath, steam heat, at 218 Moeller Bldg. Phone Main 888

For Rent — Two 3 room modern Apts. $12 50 each. 862 N. Warren. Main 2062

For Rent—
2 3 room mod. flats, 1100 N. Main
1 5 room mod. house, 419 W. Eugh
1 3-room mod. apts, 163 E. King
1 4-room city water, 727 W. Marietta
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For Rent—2 story and basement brick building, 210 W. Wood. Second floor living apartments, cheap rent to desirable party taking entire building. See J. D. Johnson over Foots Jewelry Store

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Wanted to Rent—2 or 4 unfur. light housekeeping rooms, modern. Address E-890 Review

POULTRY AND EGGS.

For Sale—Baby chicks. Main 2221. Mrs. S. Brooks. 1 20 W. Forest

Sicilian Buttercup eggs for hatching $1 50 per setting after May 25th if called for (Parcel post $1 70). This is a good time to hatch Buttercups as they mature early. C. J. Sanborn 10 N. Main St. Decatur Phone 1429

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For Sale—Simple Comb Red and Buckeye hatching eggs. F. J. Staddard & Son 176 E. Central. Phone 1724

For Sale—S. C. W. Leghorn eggs $1 50 per 15. Phone Main 796

FOR SALE—VEHICLES.

For Sale Cheap 2 buggies, surrey and wagon. Call Arthur C. Diller 236 W. Wood. Tel. Main 1070

For Sale—First class creamery wagon, also 4 yr. old Shetland pony wt. 400 lbs. fine saddle and driver. Address Box 88 Hammond Ill. S. J. Hanna

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FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS

For Sale—Home grown strawberries by the crate. Main 1762

For Sale—Crop of clover. Inquire of Mahoney Brothers, Green Switch to Decatur Ill

For Sale 21 doz. 12 x 14 in. four panel doors, dark oak color. Good as new. Chance 140 N. Park

For Sale—30 gallon gasoline tank, lock faucet; 7x9 wall tent; 10x12 tent; 2 garden plows $3 90. Bicycles, ice boxes, refrigerators.

W. M. CHANCE
250 N. Park

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1,000 large white oak posts in timber ½ mile east of Stonside. Call Schoenle & O'Mara. Main 2208 or Trimby Count 904 ring 1

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For Sale 4½ h.p. gas engine. Call at 138 W. Main after 6 p m

For Sale $2,700 and $2200 notes. Would accept half in Liberty bonds. Call 219 S. Park. Phone 1110 Main

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Fresh buttermilk for sale for stock feeding purposes 2 cents gal. Swift & Co. N. Motkin and I. Franks

For Sale—Fans 16 inch oscillating also two smaller ones. Practically good as new at a bargain price. 240 N. Union. Phone 140

For Sale—Four 32x4 tires, good condition. Hanks Barn 25 E. Prairie

For Sale—Bed for auto truck, 2 speedometers complete. Phone 666

For Sale—One broom brush seeder in good repair at 1019 N. Clinton St

FOR SALE—HOUSEHOLD GOODS.

For Sale—Furniture and piano almost new. Bargain for cash. Must be sold at once, leaving city. 1249 W. Forest. Main 2054

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For Sale or Trade—Pool room, cash or touring car. Call Fairview 132

For Sale—Grocery stock and fixtures, good business. 1175 E. Orchard. Main 535

AUTOMOBILES AND BICYCLES

For Sale—Late 17 Buick six roadster and Hudson speedster, first class condition. A. D. Tillman, Forsyth Ill

For Sale, Motorcycle twin Excelsior. Bargain. 2015 N. College

For Sale—1914 Overland, perfect running order. Cheap for cash. 242 W. Packard

For Sale—Motorcycle in good condition. 1046 N. Jordan

For Sale—1917 Model Ford touring car, good condition. Phone Monday. Main 1 3

For Sale—Three 1917 Fords, three 1914 Fords and other used cars. All in good condition. Hole's Parking Garage, 107 N. Jackson. Rear of Decatur Taxi Co.

For Sale—A bargain, Stevens 6 five pass. touring car. Continental motor. 1917 model, 6 cyl. 1916 Saxon touring. $300, fine conditions. 1917 Ford, starter and lights, at a bargain. Regal 1916 starter and lights, fine condition, $325 for quick sale. Light Delaware, good as new, one of the made in Decatur cars. Maxwell 1916 used a little, a bargain. DECATUR AUTO EXCH. AUTO CO. 122 S. Franklin

USED CARS

We do not keep them, we sell them. All kinds of light used cars worth the money.

Used Car Market
208 N. Franklin St. Fairview 627

USED CARS

No. 816—1917 Model Six Overland roadster, run 6200 miles, five good tires, cloth upholstering, fully equipped, runs and looks like new.
No. 67—1917 Ford Roadster, Yale lock, fire carrier, speedometer, leather cushions, shock absorbers, crank holder, tool box, etc.
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No. 692—1917 Ford touring, no glare lense, all good tires.
No. 791—1917 Ford touring, shock absorbers, good tires.
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No. 693—1917 Ford touring, shock absorbers, good tires.
No. 702—1917 Ford touring, shock absorbers, good tires.
No. 660—1914 Ford touring, electric lights, Ventilating wind shield.
No. 668—1916 Chevrolet touring, no extras but in good condition.
No. 655—1918 Saxon touring, 6 cyl. run only 800 miles.
No. 636—1916 Ford touring, extra tool box, fair condition.
No. 662—1917 Enger 12 touring, new.
No. 696—1915 Ford touring, good condition, fair tires.
No. 691—1916 Ford Touring, extra good shape.
No. 578, 1916 Model 38 Overland roadster, leather upholstering, five fair tires, spot light, fully equipped, very good condition.
No. 664—1916 Ford touring, shock absorbers, etc.
No. 724—1916 Studebaker touring, 6 cyl., in good condition.
No. 652—1915 Hupmobile, in A 1 condition.
No. 707—1916 Cadillac touring, 8 cyl., 7 pass., Good running condition, 3 practically new tires.
No. 703—1917 Dodge roadster, four good tires, good running order.
No. 705—1917 Jeffery touring, run very little.
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Tops Repaired—New lights in curtains—new bows or bow sockets. How about your cushions? We fix all tops and cushions at reasonable prices

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All parts for all cars always on hand. Largest stock of parts in Central Illinois.

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FOR SALE—CITY PROPERTY.

For Sale — Small cottage, Fairview park, cheap. Call Main 1841

For Sale—New modern 6 room bungalow, hard wood floors and in fine location. Price $3300. Phone Main 1359 after 6 p m

For Sale—Good modern 6 room cottage, 937 N. Calhoun. Inquire 369 W. Eldorado

For Sale—5 room cottage, pantry, bath and closets, all modern, lot class, repair on lot 40x172. Phone Main 527. 1220 N. Monroe

For Sale—New up to date bungalow within 3 blocks of transfer. Owner leaving state. Main 1705

For Sale—6 room house to be moved off lot. 627 W. Wood. Main 2529

For Sale—6 room bungalow, west side, good location. Phone 6140 Main

N. Main St Bargain—
7 room modern house, oak floors and hot water heat $4500. The best buy on the street.
5 room modern house, oak finish, fine location, west part of city, $4700.
W. F. PICKLE
140 E. Main Phone 2162

For Sale—8 room strictly modern house, 1520 N. Edward

For Sale—6 room mod. bungalow, west side, very reasonable, good terms. Call Main 6200

For Sale—6 room house, northeast $1050. Call Main 1913

For Sale—A house on N. Stone St. Price $1000. $100 down, balance $13 per month. Johnson & Dimmock over Post Jewelry store

For Sale

Five room cottage, gas range, cellar, city water in front. Sewerage in rear, lot 40x150, ½ block to car line, 1½ blocks to F. & Opener Bag Factory. Sacrifice price $1700

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Located on W. Main. City water, electric lights, furnace, two vacant lots next to this house. $300 cash. Also 2 lots 1400 Blk E. William. Call

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Eight room modern house, sleeping porch, mantle and grate, finished hardwood floors down stairs, attic floored, lot 50x150 ft. located on W. Macon St., close in, one of the best buys in the city at $4000

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700 Block W. Division, 8 room
1200 Block N. Monroe, 8 room
400 Block Central Ave., 5 room cottage
700 Block W. Decatur, 8 room
1200 Block N. Monroe, mod. bungalow.

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By Allman

For Sale—Six room modern house, nearly new. 1100 East Henderson St. 60 ft. lot at bargain at $2200. Main 6048

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RED RIVER VALLEY FARMS

The best and safest investments you can make today are farm lands in the Red River Valley in Dakota and Minnesota. You can buy improved farms near Fargo from $50 to $80 per acre and on easy terms. 2 or 3 crops will pay for a farm. Will go with you any day to see these farms. Buy now and get crop with land then you get quick action on your money. Call or write

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For Sale—120 acres Northern Shelby Co., Ill., a well improved stock and grain farm at price $250 per acre thas mortgage incumbrance of $20,0000 which has 10 years to run, want cash or clear city property for $9,000 equity. Ross Shride, rooms 1-2 Stine Bldg

For Sale—An extra well improved 160 acre farm in Montgomery Co., Ill., the owner is a non-resident and is offering the farm at a bargain price of $75 per acre. Ross Shride, rooms 1 2 Stine Bldg

For Sale—80 acres close to Decatur. Improvements only fair, lots of fruit and fine water, on hard road and is a nice combination farm. Price $275 per acre. Ross Shride, rooms 1-2 Stine Bldg

For Sale or Exchange—120 a. few Ill. land all in cultivation. Fair improvements. Price $65 per acre. F-890 Review

For Sale—3000 acre tract of real Illinois Corn Land. Improved. Adjoins County seat. Price $200,000. Terms. T. L. Litter, Vandalia Ill

Corn Farms—335 acres, three miles of Tuscola, Illinois, on paved road, good black land, well tiled, fairly well improved, fine location. If interested write for price or see me. 128 acres Douglas Co. all prairie, not a foot of waste land, two miles of good town, $300 per acre. Improved 80 acres all prairie 2½ miles of market, improved, $200 per acre. 100 acres extra fine black land, good improvements, a dandy, $225 per acre. 120 acres well improved, all good, $210 per acre. 320 acres good black land, two miles of market, well tiled, $235 per acre. 440 acres well improved stock farm for $80 per acre. 100 acre stock farm, good improvements, $9,000. It will certainly pay you to see me if you want to buy or sell a farm in the corn belt. J. W. Maddox, Oakland, Ill

FOR SALE—VACANT LOTS.

For Sale—Vacant lot in business district at sacrifice. Call 236 W. Wood. Arthur C. Diller

For Sale or Trade—For a Ford car, four lots in Aline, Okla. Robinson, 980 W. Eldorado

LEGAL NOTICES.

NOTICE TO PROBATE WILL—State of Illinois, County of Macon ss. In the County Court of said County, May Term, A. D. 1918.

In the matter of the last will and testament of Rebecca H. Merritt, decd.

To George F. Rucker and the unknown legal heirs of Rebecca H. Merritt deceased and all persons whom it may concern, greeting:

Notice is hereby given to you that on the 25th day of May A. D. 1918 a petition was filed in the County Court of the County of Macon, in the State of Illinois, by Henry W. Merritt, asking that the last will and testament of said Rebecca H. Merritt, deceased, be admitted to probate that Henry W. Merritt, John A. Merritt, Joseph O. Merritt, Virginia E. Veech, William W. Merritt, Mary J. Wiener, Georgia Osborne, Bessie F. Nims, Bert D. Rucker, Jennie P. Reese, Alva L. Rucker, James O. Rucker, Hazel Hanna, George F. Rucker, Mont Rucker are all the heirs, legatees and devisees of said Rebecca H. Merritt deceased.

You are further notified that the 21st day of June A. D. 1918 at 10 o'clock A. M. at the Court House in the City of Decatur, in the County of Macon and State of Illinois, has been set by said County Court as the time and place where said last will and testament will be offered for probate and for the hearing of the proof thereon, at which time and place you may appear, if you see fit so to do, and show cause, if any you have, why said last will and testament should not be admitted to probate.

Dated at Decatur, Illinois, this 26th day of May A. D. 1918.

CHAS. H. PATTERSON
Clerk of said Court
(Seal of said Court)

DISSOLUTION NOTICE

To Whom It May Concern —

The co-partnership, formerly composed of J. W. Hawley, W. H. Woolums and A. E. Patchin doing business as J. W. Hawley & Company, having heretofore, towit on November 20th 1917 merged their business into the Universal Safety Sales Corporation of Decatur, Illinois and the said co-partnership having been heretofore dissolved and all business heretofore conducted by it is now being transacted by the said corporation and no business is being conducted or will be transacted hereafter by said J. W. Hawley & Company, a co-partnership.

Dated this 15th day of May A. D. 1918.

Signed
J. W. HAWLEY
W. H. WOOLUMS,
A. E. PATCHIN.

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land at
80 Acres of well improved
PUBLIC SALE

Monday, June 10-1918, 2 p.m. on premises 1½ miles north and 2½ miles west of Taylorville Ill.

This is absolutely the best black corn land. 8 room house, good barn, plenty shade, a real home. Terms easy.

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Decatur Ill
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LEGAL NOTICES.

Notice is hereby given that on Tuesday, the 4th day of June 1918 an election will be held in Decatur High School building in the city of Decatur for the purpose of electing one member of the Board of Education of Decatur school district. The polls will be open at 10:00 o'clock A. M. and will close at 6:00 o'clock P. M.

R. C. AUGUSTINE
President of the Board.
ARTHUR KINKADE
Clerk of the Board.

BEMENT.

The Woman's Club library has received from Mrs. I. W. Bodman of Chicago a gift of eighty-three bound volumes of Magazines. They are Harpers, volumes 59 83,

65 SHELBY MEN TO MISSISSIPPI CAMP

Rousing Farewell Given Largest Group Drafted

Shelbyville, Ill., May 28.—Shelby county's largest contingent thus far, of selective service men entrained here at 1:20 o'clock Monday afternoon for Camp Shelby, Hattiesburg, Miss. There were 65 men in the list from this county, while two others, residents here but registered elsewhere, went with the contingent.

EIGHT SQUADS.

Bernard J. Moberly of Windsor was made captain of the company which was divided into eight squads, with a leader for each squad. The boys were inducted into service during the morning and were given dinner at the Red Cross headquarters in the new Tinks garage. At 12:30 o'clock the Shelbyville band and Shelbyville Commercial club formed in line and escorted the boys to the Big Four station, where they were bidden farewell by a crowd of about 1500 people.

THOSE WHO LEFT

The contingent was composed of the following named men:

CAPTAIN

Bernard J. Moberly, Windsor.

SQUAD ONE.

E. Wallace Holin, Cowden.
Claude Cyrus Barr, Cowden.
Elza Franklin Ginger, Cowden.
Ernest B Cosart, Cowden.
Harley Earl Reynolds, Gilman.
Wm. A. Reynolds, Neoga.
Orval J. Sprague, Shelbyville.
Charles D. Williams, Trowbridge.

SQUAD TWO

Fred E. Lemons, Windsor.
Albert V. Horn, Windsor.
Press Beard, Windsor.
Harry A. Hood, Windsor.
Conrad Dobson, Windsor.
Roy E. Allgood, Windsor.
Thomas Anderson, Neoga.
Jasper C. Catorday, Windsor.

SQUAD THREE.

Ralph Williams, Stewardson.
Henry Rozene, Stewardson.
Chester Thomas McIntosh, Stewardson.
Charles W. Cameron, Stewardson.
Vern C. Powell, Stewardson.
Everett L. Davis, Stewardson.
Henry G. Mueller, Trowbridge.
Adolph G. Schwerdt, Sigel.

SQUAD FOUR

Charles O. Workman, Moweaqua.
James A. Page, Moweaqua.
William J. Daugherty, Moweaqua.
William H. Hays, Moweaqua.
Chester F. Bethards, Moweaqua.
James F. Roby, Bethany.
Earl E. Chestham, Moweaqua.
Stephen Roy Portwood, Moweaqua.

SQUAD FIVE

Lester C. Cannon, Tower Hill.
Chester W. Spher, Tower Hill.
Leslie Emerson Cox, Moweaqua.
Carl S. Campbell, Danville.
Clyde L. Compton, Shelbyville.
Forest Griffith, Shelbyville.
Claude D. Lugal, Stewardson.
W. L. Owens, Shelbyville.

SQUAD SIX.

William Otis Lockard, Tower Hill.
Rex Henry Bechtel, Tower Hill.
John Allen, Shelbyville.
John W. Cummings, Shelbyville.
Robert Riley Hawley, Casper, Wyo.
Jesse W. Mays, Harmon, Ill.
Fred H. Miller, Moweaqua.
Walter S. Severe, Shelbyville.

SQUAD SEVEN

Lloyd Read, Tower Hill.
Robert L. Brownback, Tower Hill.
Clarence Benefial, Shelbyville.
William Earl Stucker, Shelbyville.
Ernest E. Graham, Tower Hill.
Harley Wesley Hoy, Assumption.
John Matthews, Herrick.
William S. Burnett, Shelbyville.

SQUAD EIGHT.

William R. Bowman, Washington.
Ervin Hulett, Windsor.
Ralph C. Waters, Findlay.
Ross A. Blair, Findlay.
Ed H. Ostermeier, Strasburg.
Mahlon Tidd, Decatur.
Sadie Vlieur, Okmulgee, Okla.
James C. Winnings, Chicago.

The other two men who accompanied the contingent are John Palmer Fought who was registered in Maricopa County, Ariz., and Justin A. Domas registered in Chicago.

COUGILL-WALKER

Frank Cougill of Rose township and Miss Nelle Walker of Lakewood township were married Sunday afternoon at the Christian parsonage South Broadway, Rev. N. H. Robertson officiating. A few intimate friends were present. The bride is a daughter of Isaac Walker, and is a young lady of excellent accomplishments. The groom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Cougill. They will live on a farm six miles southwest of Shelbyville.

FRANK ERNST IN FRANCE.

Word has been received by Mrs. Ernst and other relatives that Corporal Frank Ernst, a son of Mrs. Ernst, has arrived safely in France. Corporal Ernst is a member of Company C, 47th United States infantry. The reports a good trip, and that he is feeling fine.

LOSES FINGER.

Floyd Hall, an employe of the Richardson & Tallman factory and who had been accepted for limited military service, suffered the amputation of the middle finger of his right hand Monday forenoon, when it was caught in a lathe at the factory. The finger was torn off at the middle joint.

Henry Monroe, the young son of Dr. and Mrs. H. E. Monroe suffered a fracture of the elbow of his left arm Sunday, in a fall from a bicycle.

As the result of an investigation by Night Officer William Sills, State's Attorney A. L. Yantis on Monday filed an information in the county court, charging Charles Beeler with selling intoxicating liquor in anti-saloon territory.

In the May meeting of the Parent-Teacher association, officers for the ensuing year were chosen as follows: President, Mrs. S. S. Cook; vice president, Miss Frances Davis; secretary, Mrs. F. O. Bisdee; treasurer, Miss Okla Sturgis.

Executive committee—Mrs. J. L. Hoover, chairman; Mrs. E. A. Jenkins, Mrs. E. E. Leighty, Mrs. Theo. Winson, Mrs. Lawrence Runkle, Mrs. S. S. Crook.

Mrs. William Harris gave a report of the "war gardens," and the association will hold a vegetables exhibit in connection with the September meeting.

F. R. Dove was in Clarksburg Sunday afternoon where he made an address at an Centennial meeting. He was accompanied by Rev. J. L. B. Ellis who also participated in the service, and A. J. Andes.

Adrian Wall, a former resident of this city and graduate of the Shelbyville high school, is now an enlisted man in the radio service and is attending the radio school at Great Lakes, Camp Farragut, 160th Co., 9th regiment. Wall, who is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Wall, now residents of Decatur, first enlisted in the navy March 23, 1918, and was called to service May 18, when he was sent to the radio school. His friends may address him at Great Lakes, Ill., care Camp Farragut, 160th Company, 9th regiment.

S. H. Snavely, who recently purchased and moved onto the Moberly "goat farm" northeast of this city, reports that 70 head of Shorthorn yearling steers he received from Kansas City already have increased in weight over 60 pounds each, on the good blue grass and clover pasture.

Miss Bessie Wilson, president of the Shelbyville Woman's Club has gone to Evanston, to attend the annual May musical festival at the Northwestern university.

Dace Richardson, who has been ill at Sharon, Pa., with paralysis arrived in this city with his wife and brother-in-law, M. F. Storm Sunday. David, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. Richardson, is seriously ill with catarrhal pneumonia.

In a letter to her mother, Mrs. W. A. Flanders of this city, Mrs G. P. Kinkaid of St. Louis states that her husband, who was the only one of the 350 to make a grade of 100 when examined, has been made instructor in gasoline motors at the U. S. Mechanical Training school at St. Louis. Mrs Kinkaid will be remembered here as Miss Grace Flanders.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

For Rent—A large, pleasant front room, well furnished, city heat. 341 N. Edward.

Wanted—Position as housekeeper, young experienced woman. Main 9020.

For Sale at a bargain if taken at once, a general stock of merchandise in up-to-date town will consider some trade. E-130, Review.

18 DOUGLAS COUNTY DRAFTED MEN LEAVE

Conscripts Sent to Camp Gordon, Atlanta, Ga.

Tuscola, May 28—Another contingent of Douglas county drafted men left here Monday afternoon, via the Illinois Central, for Camp Gordon, Atlanta, Ga. They took the train due here at 1:15 p. m., but on account of a wreck somewhere north of Tuscola all south bound passenger trains of that line were late and the train was an hour and one half late.

As usual there was a large crowd of friends and relatives of the men at the train to see them off. They were accompanied from the office of W. H. Fry, secretary of the local board of exemption, to the railroad station by an escort of veterans of the Civil war.

The names and addresses of the drafted men who left here Monday are: William F. Reinhart, Hayes; George E. Nichols, Newman; Henry Whittaker, Ewing; Orville R. Wykoff, Albert James Leonard, Charles Lyon Bassett, William Henry Burmeister, Tuscola; Claude David, Oakland; Leroy Clayton, Moses Glenn Bridges, Hans J. Kruse, Atwood; Hubert Ingram, Garrett; Albert Brewer, Homer Roy Taylor, Camargo; George A. Frantz, Arcola; John Garrett Grant, Chesterville; Charles C. Couch, Tuscola; Elzie Wilkerson, Murdock.

Another contingent of thirty men will leave here Thursday May 30, for Fort Thomas, Ky., on a special train over the C. I. & W., at 10:10 p. m. Another man for special service as a horseman will leave here for Camp Lee, at Petersburg, Va., on June 1.

The funeral of Mrs J. M. Norton was conducted from the home on East Daggy street on Monday afternoon, by Rev. M. Kaye. Mrs Norton died Saturday evening of cancer of the stomach. She was 61 years old and leaves one daughter and two sons, besides her husband and several step children. One of the sons lives in Oklahoma, and did not get here for the funeral. Music was furnished by a quartet composed of Mrs. B. H. Fuller, Mrs. J. S. Campbell, Earl Parker and George C. Jeffers. The body was taken to Kinmundy for burial. The family was accompanied to Kinmundy by Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Collins.

MOTHERS GRANTED PENSIONS

In the county court on Monday, Mrs. Lulu Pearman of Tuscola was granted a mother's pension of $10 a month. Mrs. Nora E. Crimm, of Arcola was allowed $9 a month for two children, and Mrs. Ethel Frazee of Tuscola was allowed an increase of $1.50 a month for three children.

Everett Thompson, Jr., and Clyde Dearduff arrived here Sunday evening for a short visit with homefolks. They are both stationed at Jefferson barracks, Mo., and are on a leave of absence of five days dating from Monday morning. Both the young men enlisted last December in the coast artillery service, but they have been given duties which have so far kept them at Jefferson barracks.

William Heeb of Newman was here Monday.

Mrs. C. A. Hawkins spent Monday at the home of Mrs. A. F. Bradbury in Arcola.

Bly Moody, the ten year old son of Mr. and Mrs Oscar Moody, who lives east of Tuscola, was hurt in a runaway accident Saturday. While taking a team of farm horses to the field the animals he was driving became scared and ran away with the buggy to which the team was hitched. They made but a few jumps until they turned the buggy over, throwing the boy into the a barbed wire fence and his face and head were badly scratched.

Alonzo Sturgell drove with his family to Farmer City Sunday. Mrs. Sturgell and children remained for a few days' visit with relatives, and Mr Sturgell returned Sunday evening.

Curt L. Meadows went to Decatur Sunday, and on Monday was operated on at the Decatur and Macon county hospital for the removal of gall stones. Word was received by Mr. Meadow's family about noon on Monday stating that he had gone through the operation nicely.

Horace Schonle of Indianapolis spent Sunday with his parents.

Mrs J. M. Walker of Champaign was here Monday.

Ray D. Weaver and H. B. Meals have gone to Alabama.

The solicitors in the Red Cross drive were finishing up their work Monday evening, in preparation for turning in their reports at a meeting to be held on Monday evening. They reported that they have met with liberal responses and there was no doubt but that the township would be well over the allotment, when the figures are all in.

Local Notices

Attend the Red Cross Benefit Dance Wednesday evening, May 29, K. of P. hall, Powers Bldg. Tickets on sale at Haines & Essicks.

JOS. MICHL'S SONS
5c—DIXIE—5c
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WILL PLEASE YOU.

Climax and Ideal Pipeless Furnaces. Easy terms. Guttering and spouting. Low prices. Barringer Hardware Co.

In Remembrance of Mrs. William White who departed from us a year ago today—your loving smiles and kind words will no more cheer us, no one can fill the vacancy like you. Many happy days of childhood we spent together. Remembrance still anew, dear sister.—Your Mother, Sisters, Brothers.

For Sale Cheap—3,000 Peonies, 3 varieties.—OPEN AIR MARKET.

MONTICELLO MAN DIES IN CHICAGO

Monticello, May 28. John Samulinet of Monticello, died at 2 o'clock Tuesday morning in Chicago. Death was due to old age and bowel trouble. He was a resident of this city, but he and his wife had been in Chicago for the last six months. He was a retired farmer.

He was a native of Ohio and was eighty years of age. His wife's maiden name was Clara Haviland. They were married about fifteen years ago.

He leaves three brothers, Charles and Jonathan of Garden City, Mo., and Marion of Butler, Mo., and a number of nephews and nieces. One nephew, John Clark, of Monticello, was called to Chicago by his illness.

The body will be brought back here for burial. The funeral will be held Wednesday afternoon.

MUELLER TEAM BEATS BRIDGE CO.

The Mueller Commercial League team defeated the Decatur Bridge company team on Staley field Monday night 8 to 6 in seven innings. This was one of the Commercial league games scheduled for last week but which was postponed. Batteries for Muellers were Coffman and Dott and for the Bridge Workers, Gelonck and Cooper.

The Mueller band will go to Mt. Auburn next Sunday afternoon to play for Memorial exercises there.

BIG PARADE IN MT. ZION THURSDAY

Mt. Zion, May 28.—A parade in which every school district will participate, will be the big feature of the Memorial Day exercises in Mt. Zion township. The local branch of the State Council of Defense has just completed plans for the biggest patriotic event Mt. Zion has ever seen. This is in accord with the request of the national government for a day of patriotic observances and prayer.

Judd Traughbor has been selected grand marshal of the parade, and Ed Banton and Carroll Outten will assist him. The parade will form east of the railroad at 1:30 p. m., and with the Mueller band of Decatur at its head will move through the town, bringing up at the school house grounds, where a appropriate program has been arranged. Rev. L. D. Lasswell will deliver the address on "The American Republic." Several exercises will be carried out by the school children. After the program everyone will join in the march to the cemetery, where the graves of civil war veterans will be decorated.

Every school district is arranging for at least one float. The children of the Mt. Zion school district will all assemble at implement hall at 12:30 p. m., on Memorial Day.

SHORT NEWS NOTES FROM MONTICELLO

Monticello, May 28.—A service flag of the Monticello schools was presented to the schools by the alumni association Monday. The presentation was made by Mrs. Flo J. Miller, a member of the first class out of the Monticello high school, and who had also made this service flag. It was of satin with blue stars painted on it and suspended from a rod.

The flag was accepted by Miss Ann Lumsden in behalf of the schools. The meeting was held on the high school campus at 4 o'clock and school was dismissed on the north side to allow the children to be present and they marched to the south side in a body.

The flag now contains 65 stars with five more to be placed on it. Out of this 70 boys now in service, 50 were volunteers. The flag will be hung in the high school assembly room.

A domestic science demonstration was given Monday afternoon and evening at the opera house by Miss Grace Taylor of the U. of I. She gave demonstration on war breads and to the housewives who were present made the use of the substitutes much plainer. She made breads, muffins and baking powder loaf. At the evening session the election of officers was held before the demonstration and the following were selected:

President North Side—Mrs William Dighton.

Vice-president—Elzie Nichols.

President South Side—H. D. Ellis.

Vice-president South Side—Mrs Henry Johnson.

Secretary—Mrs. I. C. Tippett.

Treasurer—Mrs Ethel Marston.

The first meeting of the next year will be held on the north side on the third Monday night in September. At the afternoon meeting girls from the high school gave musical numbers and the boys at the evening session led by Miss Renfrew supervisor of music.

The regular meeting of the M. E. Guild will be held tonight at the home of Mrs. Mattie Wright and it is urged that all the members be present as Red Cross work is to be done at this meeting.

Members of the Girls Red Cross club sold boquets of flowers Saturday and as result netted $23.20. Of this amount they turned over to the Red Cross chapter $15 and have a balance of $8.20 for the purchase of supplies for a bazar which they propose to have later. This club is composed of 20 girls who have been doing Red Cross work every other Saturday afternoon at the different homes.

Mrs. H. J. Evans spent Monday in Decatur.

Harry Zybell of Chicago is here visiting his father, August Zybell.

Sampson Adkins of Chicago is here visiting relatives.

Mr and Mrs. Scott Miller left Tuesday for Jacksonville to visit their daughter Mrs. M. J. Donahoe. Mrs. Miller will make the Memorial day address at Quincy.

Toledo Seeds.

Toledo, May 28.—Clover seed: Prime cash, $18.25, October, $14.15.

Alsike: Prime cash, $15.35.

Timothy: Prime cash, $3.70; September, $4.30, October, $3.97; December, $4.07½. May, $4.12½.

MARKETS

CHICAGO BOARD OF TRADE QUOTATIONS

(Furnished by Ware & Leland)

Chicago, May 28.—Following is the range of prices with yesterday's close:

CORN—	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Yes.
Jun	137 @	137	135¾	135¾	135¾
July	138⅛@138⅜	138⅜	136⅝	136⅝	137⅝
OATS—					
May	74 @ 74¾	75½	74	74½	74¾
Jun	71⅞@	72	71	71	71½
July	66⅝@ 66⅞	66⅞	65½	65⅞	67⅞
PORK—					
May	....@	..		4010	....
July	4040@ 4035	4040	3950	3980	4055
LARD—					
July	2420@	2420	2392	2392	2415
Sep.	2445@	2447	2420	2420	2442
RIBS—					
July	2195@ 2200	2200	2152	2135	2197
Sep	2245@	2245	2200	2200	2245

MARKET GOSSIP

PRIMARY MOVEMENTS

Receipts—	Today	Yr. Ago.
Wheat	215,000	734,000
Corn	673,000	696,000
Oats	612,000	642,000
Shipments—		
Wheat	110,000	594,000
Corn	483,000	240,000
Oats	404,000	814,000

INSPECTED CARS.

Chicago, May 24—Inspected cars: Wheat, 2, corn, 62; oats, 82.

CHICAGO CARS.

	Rcts.	Cont.	Estd.	Yr. Ago.
Wheat	1	0	3	127
Corn	125	10	154	209
Oats	188	105	188	218

LONDON SILVER.

London, May 28.—Bar silver, 48⅞d per ounce.

Money 2½ per cent.

LIVE STOCK

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, May 28.—Heavy offerings that included a large stale supply led today to a decided break in the price of hogs. Cattle and sheep were less numerous than had been looked for.

HOGS — Receipts 28,000 head; estimated receipts for Wednesday, 23,000 head; market slow, 30 cents under yesterday's average. Bulk of sales $16.55@16.80, light $16.50@16.90; mixed, $16.35@16.90, heavy $15.50@16.65, rough, $15.50@15.90, pigs, $14.50@17.00.

CATTLE—Receipts 11,000 head; estimated receipts for Wednesday, 8,000 head; market firm. Native steers $10.50@17.60, stockers and feeders, $9.25@13.65, cows and heifers, $7.25@14.90, calves, $8.00@14.75.

SHEEP—Receipts 12,000 head; estimated receipts for Wednesday, 12,000 head; market strong. Sheep, $10.00@15.10. Lambs, $17.50@17.10; springs, $14.25@20.00.

St. Louis Live Stock.

St. Louis, May 28.—HOGS—Receipts 1,000 head, market lower. Lights, $16.90@17.10, pigs $16.25@17.00, mixed $16.75@17.00, heavy, $16.80@16.90; bulk of sales $16.75@17.00.

CATTLE—Receipts 3,500 head, market slow. Steers $11.50@17.00, heifers $9.50@15.50, cows, $7.50@12.75, calves, $7.75@11.00.

SHEEP—Receipts 2,500 head, market steady. Lambs $14.00@16.65, ewes $12.00@14.00.

Kansas City Live Stock.

Kansas City, May 28.—HOGS—Receipts 12,000 head, market lower. Bulk of sales $16.65@16.85, heavy $16.60@16.80, light $16.65@16.90, pigs, $16.50@17.25.

CATTLE—Receipts 8,000 head, market steady. Steers, $15.50@17.25, cows $8.00@13.50, heifers $10.00@14.50, calves $8.50@11.00.

SHEEP—Receipts 10,000 head, market steady. Lambs $15.50@20.25, yearlings $14.00@17.00, wethers $13.00@10.50, ewes $11.00@16.60.

Indianapolis Live Stock.

Indianapolis, May 28.—HOGS—Receipts 7,000 head, market weak. Bulk of sales $16.75@16.80, light, $16.80@16.90, heavy, $16.65@16.75, pigs $17.25.

CATTLE—Receipts 2,000 head, market slow.

SHEEP—Receipts 1,000 head, market steady.

Cleveland Live Stock.

U. S. Yards, Cleveland, May 28.—Bower & Bower report hog receipts 1,500 head, market lower. Yorkers and heavies $17.25@17.40; calves $15.00, lambs, $16.00@17.00, cattle $6.50@16.50.

GRAIN

Chicago Cash Market.

Chicago, May 28.—Severe drops in temperature brought about upturns today in the value of corn. The sudden change of weather conditions was generally believed to be adverse to crop progress. Opening quotations which ranged from ⅝ to 1¼ cents higher, with June at $1.37 and July at $1.38¼ to $1.38½, were followed by a moderate reaction.

Oats hardened as a result of the corn strength. Shorts were the chief buyers. After opening ¼c off to ⅝c up the market scored slight further gains.

Provisions weakened with hogs. Lard, though, was relatively firm.

Chicago Cash Market.

Chicago, May 28.—CORN—No. 2 yellow $1.72; No. 3 yellow, nominal; No. 4 yellow, $1.40@1.51, No. 5 yellow $1.30, No. 6 yellow, $1.25@1.27½.

OATS—No. 3 white, 73½@77½c; standard, 75¾@76½c.

RYE—No. 2 $1.91.

TIMOTHY—$5.00@8.00.

CLOVER—$18.00@28.00.

PORK—Nominal.

LARD—$24.02.

RIBS—$20.95@21.57.

Peoria Cash Market.

Peoria, May 28.—CORN—Market unchanged. No. 3 white $1.70, No. 4 white $1.40@1.42; No. 5 white, $1.30, No. 6 white, $1.25, No. 2 yellow, $1.63, No. 3 yellow, $1.55; No. 4 yellow, $1.45, No. 5 yellow, $1.32½; No. 6 yellow, $1.25@1.28, No. 6 mixed $1.23; sample, 90c@$1.20.

OATS—Market unchanged. No. 3 white, 72½c.

St. Louis Cash Market.

St. Louis, May 28.—CORN—No. 2, $1.57; No. 3, $1.53; No. 2 yellow, $1.69@1.90; No. 3 yellow, $1.55; No. 2 white, $1.65, No. 3 white, $1.60; No. 6 white, $1.10.

OATS—No. 3 white, 75¾@76c; No. 2, 75@75¾c; No. 3, 73c.

PRODUCE

New York Sugar.

New York, May 28.—SUGAR—Market for raw sugar steady. Centrifugal, 6.005, fine granulated, $7.45.

Chicago Produce.

Chicago, May 28.—BUTTER — Market unchanged.

EGGS—Market unsettled. Receipts 32,974 cases. Firsts, 30@32c; ordinary firsts, 28@29c; at mark (cases included), 29@31c.

POTATOES—Market lower. Receipts 40 cars. Wisconsin, Michigan and Minnesota, 90c@$1.00; do, sacks, $1.10@1.15.

POULTRY — Market for live poultry higher. Fowls 27c; roosters, 21c.

New York Produce.

New York, May 28.—BUTTER — Market easier. Receipts 13,842 tubs. Creamery higher than extras, 42⅞@44½c; creamery extras, 43@43½c; firsts, 41@42¾c; packing stock, current make No. 1, 28½@29c.

EGGS — Market irregular. Receipts 27,401 cases. Fresh gathered extras 37c; fresh gathered storage packed firsts 35½@36½c; do. regular packed extra firsts, 35@35½c; do. firsts 33@34½c.

CHEESE — Market irregular. Receipts 1,300 boxes. State, fresh specials 23c, do average run 22c.

POULTRY — Market for live poultry strong, no prices quoted. Dressed poultry quiet, prices unchanged.

ANOTHER SLUMP IN CORN PRICES

Chicago, May 28.—Severe drops in temperature brought about upturns today in the value of corn. The sudden change of weather conditions was generally believed to be adverse to crop progress. Opening quotations which ranged from ⅝ to 1¼ higher, with June $1.37 and July $1.38¼ to $1.38½, were followed by a moderate reaction.

Rallies took place, but in the late trading persistent selling in small lots more than wiped out the gains. Warmer weather was in prospect. The close was heavy, ⅝ to 1¾ cent net lower with June $1.38 and July $1.36⅞ to $1.36½.

Oats hardened as a result of the corn strength. Shorts were the chief buyers. After opening ¾ cent off to ⅝ cent up, the market scored further gains.

Provisions weakened with hogs. Lard, though, was relatively firm.

CORN AND OATS ON TOBOGGAN

Effect of Fine Weather is Felt.

The prices of corn and oats are both feeling the effect of the exceedingly good crop weather which is now prevailing through the great grain district of this country. Both have fallen off from 3 to 10 cents.

Corn planting is being completed rapidly in ground which is in excellent condition to receive the seed. Corn that is up is being cultivated, and is making a vigorous and healthy growth, and the prospects now are for a record-breaking crop of oats. These facts are decidedly bearish in effect on the grain market, and the price of corn has been marked to the lowest point for some time in Decatur.

Prices on both white and yellow corn have been put to $1.15, and oats are down to 65 cents a bushel.

DECATUR MARKETS

Decatur dealers are offering the following prices for grain:

No. 2 wheat	$2.00@$	....
Nos. 3 and 4 wheat	2.00@	....
No. 4 white corn	1.15@	....
No. 4 yellow corn	1.15@	....
Oats	.65@	....
Rye	1.55@	....

Butter and Eggs.
(Quoted by Max Atlas)

Eggs	.27
Butter, packing	.27

Poultry.
(Quotations to producers by Max Atlas)

Hens	.22
Springs, 1½ to 2 lbs	.26
Cocks	.12½
Stags	.12½
Old Toms	.20
Young turkeys, 8 lbs. and over	.28
Geese	.12
Ducks, large	.14
Indian Runner ducks	.12
Live pigeons, per dozen	.60

Live Stock.
(Quoted daily by Danzeisen Packing Co.)

Heavy sows	$14.50@$15.00
Light pigs, 100-150 lbs	13.00@ 14.00
Choice young hogs, 175-200lbs	16.25@ 16.75
Choice young hogs 250 lbs.	15.75@ 16.00
Choice steers	10.00@ 10.50
Shipping steers	8.00@ 9.00
Butcher steers	7.00@ 8.50
Choice cows	9.00@ 9.50
Medium cows	8.00@ 9.50
Bulls	8.00@ 9.50
Choice heifers	10.00@ 11.00
Heifers medium	8.00@ 9.00
Sheep	8.00@ 10.00

BIG SEND-OFF FOR MOULTRIE MEN

Sullivan, May 28.—Arrangements have been made to give another big demonstration Wednesday morning for the thirty men who leave on the Wabash for Fort Thomas, Ky. The men will appear at the exemption board office at 4 o'clock this evening for the first roll call and then those who care to go home will be allowed to do so after signing up to report at the office of the board Wednesday morning.

The roll call will take place about eight o'clock Wednesday morning and then the line of march will be formed and the men escorted to the station.

A large delegation is expected from Lovington as the coal mine will close and it is understood that the business houses will close and every one will come here to see the boys away. Lovington will bring their band down again and the miners will march. Seventeen men will go from Lovington township in this group of men. Several of them are members of the miners' union.

Oscar F. Cochran has been appointed chairman of the four minute men for Moultrie county. Rev. W. B. Hopper, Rev. G. V. Motzel, J. L. McLaughlin and E. J. Miller will be other speakers. They will speak at different gatherings all over the county in the interest of any campaign during the period of the war.

The three railroad companies, the Illinois Central, Wabash and Chicago & Eastern Illinois are trying to get together again and conduct a union station here of the three roads. A meeting will probably be held here Wednesday when the officials of the three roads are supposed to be here again and try and make arrangements to place the three roads under one agent. Those who claim to know seem to think they will get together this time.

Farmers who have had their corn planted long enough for it to be up say that they have a good stand and that the corn is looking fine. The farmers of this community made an effort to secure the best seed corn possible to secure. It is believed there will be the largest crop of corn th county has had for some

How are the Roads?

Sullivan—The roads were muddy here Tuesday morning but with plenty of sunshine will soon dry off.

Pana—Roads are in fine shape in all directions.

Shelbyville—Roads good.

Tuscola—All main roads in reasonably good condition.

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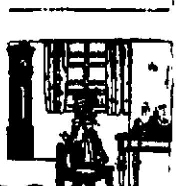

The best of terms are offered those contemplating the purchase of home outfits

Set of 6 Chairs, $38

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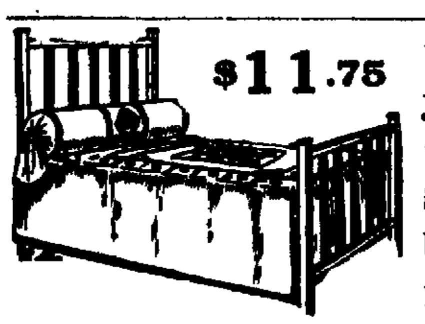
$35.25 $38

The period styles appeal most forcibly to the woman that is just beginning to fit up a home. Here is shown a dining room set in the Jacobean period that will give the new home just the right air of refinement that it should have. It is very substantially made, full walnut construction, a beautiful representation of its period, complete in nine pieces, at only $160.75



$11.75 Big Values in Beds

It is a pleasure to show these splendid values in beds. The illustration cannot portray the beautiful lines of this large 2 in. post Vernis Martin bed at only $11.75

An excellent value in Kitchen Tables, from $3.25 Up

Beautiful designs and colorings in a 9x12 size at only $25. Now is the time to buy floor coverings before the rise that is sure to come.

The Deltox Grass Rug makes a splendid floor covering for the bed room. In the 9x12 size, at only $13.75

Linoleums

Wild's Linoleums—the kind that wear—shown in great profusion of designs and colorings, six feet wide, at upwards, per yard, $1.15

Old Stoves, Refrigerators and Furniture

Taken in Exchange for New Furniture.

Dining Tables

A very good value in the golden oak, quarter sawed, 6 ft.x48 in., round pedestal table, at only $18.25

A splendid 6 ft.x54 in. fumed oak dining table—quarter sawed oak—solid construction, an extra value at $39

Save 50c Standard $2.50 Arch Supports $2.00

Economy Shoe Store
220 East Eldorado

Early Shoppers are Indirectly Helping Uncle Sam.

To practice economy buy where you can do the best with the money you have to spend. Isn't it logical that we can give you better bargains—we have less rent to pay—less help—less of every kind of expense. You only walk two blocks from the business center to make a big saving on your shoes.

A FEW PRICES SELECTED FROM OUR STOCK THAT WILL KEEP US BUSY THIS WEEK.

Extra White Flyer

White cloth boot with low or medium white heel and sole. They are good fitters and fine looking. The usual Economy wearing qualities. You can buy a pair at $2.98

White Pumps

Let us show you this neat white pump. An ideal style, a splendid looker and a big value. $2.98

Patent Pumps

A value well worth considering — these are neat models with leather Louis heels. A saving in every pair, $3.95

White Low Heel Shoes

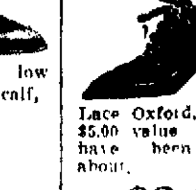
A white, low rubber heel and sole with ball strap. A special price shoe for a remarkable service, $1.98

Military Lace Oxfords

A splendid new low heel style in dull calf, $3.50

Brown if you want them 35c more on the pair

Season's Newest Novelty



Lace Oxford, this the $5.00 value that we have been talking about, $3.85

Roman Strap Sandals

in all sizes—nothing nicer for summer—if you don't want slippers.

Priced according to size and a saving assured in every price.

EXHIBITORS FOR INDUSTRIAL SHOW

Complete List of 77 and Drawings for Booths—Automobile Parade Planned.

Manufacturers were at the rooms of the Association of Commerce Tuesday morning to draw for spaces in the Industrial and Automobile show. There seemed little choice in the location of the booths except that many preferred to have the exhibits border on the open space in which the entertainment features will be staged.

The seventy-seven exhibitors who have already signed up for the show and the number of the booths they have drawn follow. The floor space to each number is 20 by 20 feet and a great showing of articles made in Decatur is promised by these manufacturers:

INDUSTRIAL SECTION.

American Hominy Co. 312
American Ice Cream Co. 118
Baird Harvester Co. 321
Beall Improvement Co. 108
Cement Products Co. 307
Combination Fountain Co. 119
Danzeisen Pkg. Co. 207
Daut Bros. 201
Decatur Brick Mfg. Co. 117
Decatur Bridge Co. 302
Decatur Coal Co. 217
Decatur Extract Co. 101
Decatur Ice Cream Co. 323
Decatur Malleable Iron Co. 110
Decatur Mfg. Co. 318
Decatur Railway & Light Co. 303
Decatur Tent & Awing Co. 309
Decatur Union Chemical Co. 313
Cassell, Mrs. K. L. 206
Faries Mfg. Co. 107
Gill & Peplow 304
Flint, Eaton Co. 317
Hansen, H. N. 201
Home Mfg. Co. 120
Kimball, C. M. 308
Leader Iron Works 118
Herald Printing Co. 122
Linder Sign Co. 306
McClelland Grocer Co. 321
Millikin University 301
Muhlenbruch Glove & Mitten Co..104
Macon County Coal Co. 211
McLaughlin Coal Reduction Co. .322
Mueller Mfg. Co. 214
National Grocer Co. 206
Osgood & Heimer 311
Polar Ice Co. 109
Review Printing Co. 320
Protective League Life Insurance.202
Suffern Hunt Mills 315
Standard Mfg. Co. 210
Shellabarger Elevator Co. 319
Staley Starch Co. 212
Tait, Dan W. 318
U. S. Wire Mat Co. 104
Union Iron Works 106
Weatherby & Weatherby 104
Williams Sealing Corp. 208-210
Wagner Castings Co. 113
Wasson Studios 111
Wallace, J. F. 201
Walrus Mfg. Co. 105
E-Z Opener Bag Co. 314

AUTOMOBILE SECTION.

Brownback, A. V. 126-227
Bartels, E. C. 130
Cadillac Co. 333
Case Co. 132-231
Comet Auto Co. 135-137
Decatur Taxi Co. 129
Decatur Battery Service Co. 228
Decatur Republic Truck Co. 324
Electric Service Co. 235
Famous Truck Co. 131
Ferre, Guy G. 126-225
Merris, E. S. 336-335
Martin, L. R. 136-235
Moline Knight S. Co. 127
Morehouse & Wells 229
Reo Motor Sales Co. 134-233
Shaw, R. B. 326
Stouffer Bros. 125
Starr & Son 232-331
Starr, W. C. 138-237-238-339
Universal Safety Co. 226
Shellabarger & Sons 336-338
Tiro Fix Co. 230
Pan-American Corp. 330-332-331

OGLESBY TO SPEAK.

Lieut. Governor John G. Oglesby will formally open the show next Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock. This was announced at a meeting of the executive committee Monday night. J. S. Baldwin will also be here.

Governor Lowden [illegible] must be in New York on Wednesday felt that he could not chance being in Decatur Monday afternoon and getting to New York Wednesday morning.

It has been decided that an automobile parade would be staged Monday afternoon to precede the formal opening of the exhibit.

SAVED ROBINS.

The robins, whose nest has been so carefully cared for by the decorators decided Monday that the place was a little too thickly settled for them and they tried their wings and left the building.

The decorators are working steadily on the big building and it is expected that the work will be fairly well along by Thursday or Friday.

"This will be the biggest thing ever staged in Illinois outside of Chicago," said Secretary of the Association of Commerce R. J. Holmes in speaking of the growing magnitude of the show and its varied interests. "People in towns for miles around are taking great interest in it. One man who lives out near Cerro Gordo sent in word that he would be in every day that week."

BIG PARADE FOR DRAFT MEN

Military Escort Thursday Evening.

There will be a "twilight parade" for the eighty boys who leave Thursday night for Fort Thomas, Ky.

The men are ordered to report at the court house for roll call at 7 o'clock and the Soldiers' and Sailors' committee has arranged for an escort parade to accompany the men to the station where they will take the C. I. & W. train at 9 o'clock for Cincinnati.

STARTS AT 8.

The parade will start at 8 o'clock and will be a marching parade. There will be no automobiles in it. It will be led by a band and there will be a drum corps and all four companies of the Illinois Reserve Militia will act as escort to the drafted men.

Being Decoration Day and a holiday and the parade coming in the evening just after sunset it is expected that it will be one of the most interesting of the many demonstrations held this spring.

It will be short and snappy as it will be composed of trained musicians and carefully drilled militiamen and will have no other organizations in it.

ROACH TEACHER HAS RESIGNED

Miss Mae Munhall Goes to St. Charles.

Miss Mae Munhall, one of the teachers in the Roach school is another teacher who will not return to the Decatur schools next fall, having accepted a better offer from the schools at St. Charles, Ill. Miss Munhall leaves in a few days for Washington, D. C., where she will do government work during the summer vacation period.

PRESENT NUMERALS AT THE D. H. S.

Coach A. H. Jones Addresses Students; Memorial Day Plans.

An assembly was held Tuesday at the D. H. S. to present the baseball and varsity basketball boys with letters and numerals. At this time, Coach A. H. Jones addressed the students, urging them to take advantage of the opportunities afforded by the athletics in the high school. He quoted some of the army requirements in physical exercises, and gave some interesting statements concerning his experiments in the gymnasium classes to meet these requirements. Secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, R. J. Holmes, then addressed the students on the real fundamental things derived from a high school education.

Memorial day will be celebrated at the high school with an assembly to be held Wednesday morning. One of the chorus classes of Miss Louise Rear will sing, and a representative of the G. A. R. will talk to the students.

There will be no session at the high school all day Thursday, on account of the celebration of Memorial Day.

OVER $75,000 FOR RED CROSS

Macon county's subscription to the Red Cross war fund is now $75,000. The exact figures are not available because of the number pledges turnd in which have not yet been counted.

The Wabash shops are coming in with $1,100 in cash and pledges and the yard men, train men and others on the system are yet to report.

The railroad men in Decatur have shown their patriotism in an exceptionally generous way both in the purchase of bonds and now in this big donation list to the Red Cros.

The executive committee is confident that this county will exceed $80,000 before Friday night as many industrial subscriptions are yet to come in and a number of townships in the county have not yet completed their canvass.

T. SHELLABARGER OFF TO FRANCE

Decatur Boy is Aboard Ship on Way Abroad.

Thatcher Shellabarger is on the seas on his way to France. It is understood that the ship sailed last Saturday.

This will make two sons that Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Shellabarger now have on the other side in the United States service, William having gone over some time last month with the signal corps to which he is attached.

4 NEW RECRUITS ENLIST IN ARMY

Two From Argenta and Two From Moweaqua in Service.

Four new recruits have been accepted at the local recruiting office of the regular army. Floyd B. Likins and Harry J. Clifton, both of Argenta, enlisted in the medical department, and John W. Cooley and Herman Ohl, both of Moweaqua, took the coast artillery.

Kept Wedding Secret a Year.

After keeping the news of their wedding a secret for a year, Miss Eula Barding, 1700 West Grand, and Tunice McKim of Peoria have finally announced it. The wedding was made public in view of the fact that Mr. McKim expects to be called into the United States service soon.

Mrs. McKim is residing with her parents on West Grand avenue. Mr. McKim is now employed as telegraph operator at Peoria.

BORN.

To Mr. and Mrs. Guy Rice, 208 East Leafland, Thursday, May 23, a son. Mr. Rice is an enlisted man, stationed at Chanute Field, and was home on a furlough when his son was born.

To Mr. and Mrs. E. Gordon, 1336 East Hickory street, Wednesday, May 22, a daughter, Doris Elizabeth.

THRIFT STAMP IS GOLF PRIZE

The prize for the low net score at the Red Cross tournament of the Country club golf women Wednesday afternoon will be a thrift stamp. The entrance fee to the tournament is 25 cents.

YEAR'S ABSENCE FOR COACH WANN

University Looking for Successor.

It is now almost a settled matter that Coach N. G. Wann of Millikin University will be granted a year's leave from the school to enter into Y. M. C. A. army work in France. The coach has taken the matter up with President A. R. Taylor and the athletic board while they would not listen to his going under any other circumstances, yet the president and board members seen have said they would be willing to grant the year's leave for this cause.

COACH WANN.

The formal action of granting the leave will probably be next Friday. In the mean time some inquiry is being made to secure a coach for next year, in fact it is understood several are under consideration. Coach Wann has passed the necessary physical test and his application paper has been approved by the local association officials. They have been forwarded to Chicago for final approval there.

ADRIFT ON THE SEA OF MATRIMONY

Seven Divorces Granted by Whitfield.

Judge W. K. Whitfield granted seven divorces in the circuit court Tuesday forenoon.

Julous G. Watkins was granted a divorce from Zurnh Watkins on the ground of desertion. Both are colored.

Lolar West told the court that Anderson West had not only been unfaithful to his marriage vows, but had finally deserted her. Both are colored people. This case was taken under advisement.

Margaret Whitehurst was given a divorce from William Whitehurst on the ground of desertion.

On the same ground Bertha Taylor was granted a divorce from James Taylor.

Lela Holman was granted a divorce from Earl Holman for desertion and she was given the custody of their child.

SHE GETS BILLY.

Izetta Briggs was granted a divorce from William Briggs on the ground of desertion and she was given custody of Billy Briggs.

Sarah Louise King was granted a divorce from James P. King for desertion and she was given custody of their child.

Bernice G. Cahill charged Rollo F. Cahill with infidelity and Rollo did not appear to defend, so she was given a decree.

William B. Carr pleaded guilty to neglecting to support his wife and children, but was released on entering into $500 bond to pay them $10 a week for a year.

"KID" PARTY AT RUTHRAUFF HOME

Mrs. Dora Ruthrauff, 1327 East Grand avenue, entertained a few women Monday evening in honor of Mrs. Lucy Stratton of Mt. Vernon, who is visiting her sister, Mrs. A. L. Bryant, 1462 East Locust street. It was in the nature of a "kid" party, and all came dressed like little girls, with their hair in braids and curls. Mrs. Welsh won the prize for making the best appearance as a little girl. Music and games were indulged in during the evening on the lawn, and for refreshments all-day suckers and animal crackers were served. This was the first of a series of good times these women are planning for summer evenings.

Those present were Mrs. Mary Collins, Mrs. Ed Waltz, Mrs. Nina Welsh, Mrs. James Withgott, Mrs. A. L. Bryant, Mrs. Lucy Stratton of Mt. Vernon, Mrs. Dora Ruthrauff, Mrs. Rose Carroll, Mrs. Bert Taggart, Mrs. T. Roney, Mrs. Cecil Friend, Mrs. Ida Wiesner, Mrs. Thompson, Mrs. Ethel Anderson, Mrs. Ralph Fisher, Misses Mabel Waltz and Louise and Irene Ruthrauff.

North End Women to Sew.

The women of the north end will meet Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Alva G. Wilson, 2031 N. Edward street to sew for Red Cross. The women will continue to meet every Wednesday during the summer for this work.

DEEDS RECORDED.

Henry Meyer to D. P. Belden, west ½ of lot 4, etc., block 6, North addition; $7,200.

J. H. Calver to John Dipper, lots 30 and 31, Elm Ridge; $1.

J. L. Burtschi to Peter F. Kohlbecker, lot 8 in the resurvey of part of north ½ of block 5, B. R. Cassell's addition; $1,000.

T. J. Mask to D. M. Swarthout, part of lot 1, Park View addition; $1.

J. L. Burtschi to John Hollar, lot 8, block 2, B. R. Cassell's seventh addition; $3,750.

AWARD DIPLOMAS AT CONSERVATORY

Commencement Program on Wednesday Evening.

A number of diplomas and certificates will be awarded at the annual commencement program of Millikin Conservatory of Music Wednesday evening. The program will begin at 8:15 o'clock, and it is open to the public.

The diplomas and certificates to be awarded go to the following:

Diplomas in piano playing, soloist and teacher—Ruth Muir, Wilma Moffett and Florence Willis.

Diploma in violin playing, soloist and teacher—Florence Brown.

Diploma as pipe organ playing soloist—Florence Willis.

The following will all receive certificates:

Singing—Ethel Mitchell.

Piano playing—Mabel Cripe, Rae MacFarlan, Mary Keith, Mary Spicer.

Public school music as supervisor—Mary Godwin, Pauline Stone, Pauline Jones.

Singing as teacher—Vera Schien, Doris Lewman—Gillespie.

Harmony—Florence Brown, Vera Schien, Ethel Mitchell.

Violin—Elizabeth Rule.

The program for the commencement Wednesday evening will be as follows:

Piano, "Moto Perpetuo" (Weber); "Gum Sucker's March" (Grainer) — Ruth Muir.

Voice—Polonaise from "Mignon" (Thomas), "I Ah Titania"—Helen Grossman.

Violin, "Faust" Fantasie (Sarasate) —Florence M. Brown.

Piano, "Waldesrauchen" (Liszt); "Caprice Burlesque" (Gabrilowitsch) —Florence Willis.

Voice, "L'insana Parola" (Verdi)—Beatrice Fagan.

Piano, "Arabesqu on "Blue Danube Waltz" themes (Schulz-Evler)—Wilma Moffett.

Awarding of diplomas and certificates.

MASTER'S DEGREE FOR ENGLEMAN

Decatur Superintendent Gets Honors At Chicago.

It is now J. O. Engleman, A. M. The superintendent of Decatur school received his master's degree at the University of Chicago Monday. Or rather he passed the examination for the degree of Master of Arts and is now entitled to print the coveted letters after his name and to wear the purple in his scholastic robe at official collegiate functions. At least he will be so entitled when the formal conferring of degrees takes place at the annual convocation of the University of Chicago, June 10.

Mr. Engleman has done considerable work for the degree a number of years ago but through one cause or another he had been prevented from taking the examination necessary to complete the work for the honor.

The examination took place in Chicago Monday and he came through with flying colors, majoring in education and taking Latin as a minor.

Mr. Engleman taught Latin for some years but he had paid no attention to it for eleven years and most college men, even those who specialized on Latin during their course, would look upon an examination in it after eleven years with absolute panic and to have a copy of Juvenal or Terance sprung on them at random with a request to translate for fifteen or twenty minutes would put them wholly to route.

Mr. Engleman surprised himself in the Latin and he received the congratulations of his examiners on the work he had done.

Before the examination he was asked with what Latin authors he was most familiar and he frankly told them that he thought perhaps he had forgotten them all equally well.

MISS LYNCH IS NEW BABY NURSE

Will Devote Three Summer Months to Special Work.

The baby saving work which has been planned for Decatur this summer has been put in charge of Miss Emeline Lynch who has been secured by the Bureau of Social Service for the special work.

Miss Lynch has been doing private work in Decatur for some time, but she made a special study of the children's needs while taking her nursing course, and with her acquaintance with the town and the physicians it is expected that she will be able to get right into the work here without the usual loss of time incident to a stranger getting acquainted with a situation.

Her work will be exclusively that of the child welfare service, and she will be on duty to see that the well baby stays well and that the sick baby gets well.

Every Monday afternoon from 4 o'clock on she and Dr. C. Martin Wood, who has volunteered for the service, will be at the rooms of the Visiting Nurse association in the Citizens building to meet mothers who may wish to have their babies examined or who may want information regarding their care.

J. M. ALLEN TO HEAD THE CLUB

Decatur Club to Hold Annual Election Wednesday Night.

The Decatur club will have its annual election of officers Wednesday night at 8 o'clock. The ticket which is before the club, and which will be elected at that time, is as follows:

President—J. M. Allen.
Vice president—John W. Clugston.
Secretary-treasurer—C. R. Stevens.
Directors—George E. Hays and Charles R. Murphy.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Bernard C. Patterson, Decatur.....Legal
Lois Godwin, Decatur .....Legal

AWAIT WORD ON "WORK OR FIGHT"

Exemption Board Says "Stay on Jobs."

TAKE CLASS 1 FIRST

Out of Town Men Can Register in Decatur.

All strangers in the city who are due to register on June 5 will not have to return home to register. They can be accommodated by calling on the city registration board at the court house, and be saved the inconvenience of a special trip to their home towns.

The same rule applies to Decatur young men who are working in other cities. They can register where they are on that date.

All Macon county boys also have to register at the court house, June 5.

Every man who has attained the age of 21 years since June 5, 1917, must register June 5. The office will be open at 7 o'clock in the morning and close at 9 in the evening.

TAKE CLASS NO. 1 FIRST.

Any young men now in Decatur whose homes are elsewhere and who do not care to go home to register, can call on the Decatur city board now. It will perhaps be better for them to call before June 5 than to wait until that day.

Those who register on June 5 will not be called in the draft until all of the class 1 men of the first draft who are physically able have been taken.

The new registrants will be numbered, beginning with No. 1, just as though there had never been a previous draft.

All must register, whether they are citizens of the United States or not.

The city board will meet tonight and organize for the registration. Ten competent registrars who will volunteer their services will be needed.

AWAITING WORD.

Concerning the "work or fight" proposition, a number have asked Secretary John Allen of the city board what occupations are in the class preferred by the government. His advice is to keep right on at their present occupations until the board gets some official information. So far nothing of an official nature on that subject has come to the board.

MAROA BOY IN HOSPITAL SERVICE

Russell Crawford in Unit Under Mayor L. L. McArthur.

Russell Crawford of Maroa enlisted at Chicago Monday. He was ordered to Camp Custer to join a base hospital unit which leaves very soon for active service. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Crawford that live near Crawford station on the I. T. S. The hospital unit that Mr. Crawford goes with is composed of physicians and nurses from St. Luke's and Michael Reece hospitals and is in charge of Major L. L. McArthur, father to Dr. Selim McArthur.

NO INCREASES FOR 75 PER CENT

Is Opinion of St. Louis Railroad Man—Others Small.

It was stated by a St. Louis railroad man who was in Decatur today that 75 per cent of the railroad employes will receive no increase of pay under the new federal wage schedule, or at least their increase will be so small that it will be negligible.

He is basing his opinion on the fact that a large proportion of the unorganized employes or those that were organized only recently have received in the last few months a salary increase which is as large or larger than the increase will be based on the percent of their 1915 salary to which they are entitled.

THEY WONDER.

There are a hundred things about the new salary schedule that railroad men would like to know that are not explained in the preliminary announcement. "Will ticket agents and baggage agents be put on an eight hour schedule?" is one of the things the men in these departments are anxious about. Some believe that they will, others that they will not.

Assistant for Lavery.

An assistant for Ticket Agent G. A. Lavery of the Illinois Central is expected to arrive in Decatur tomorrow. Mr. Lavery has been manning the office alone for the last ten days. It is a two man job but the difficulty in filling positions of this kind become greater and greater.

CURTIS L. MOORE DROVE MACHINE

That Struck W. W. Conard; Victim is Improving.

Constable W. W Conard, who was injured Monday noon, was resting comfortably at the Decatur and Macon county hospital Tuesday. No broken bones have been discovered and it is thought he will get along all right. The automobile that ran over Mr. Conard was driven by Curtis L. Moore, colored, 630 South Greenwood avenue. He got the car only a short time ago. No legal action has been taken on account of the accident and it is not yet known if any will be.

MARSHALL BETTER.

Glenn Marshall, who was injured in an automobile accident west of the city, is also getting along very well.

ANNUAL MEMORIAL OF MUELLER CO.

Will Be Held at Greenwood Cemetery Thursday Morning.

The Mueller employes will hold their annual memorial exercises Thursday morning at Greenwood, members of the firm also taking part. The employes will meet at the factory at 8:30 o'clock and will parade from there, headed by the Goodman band, out to Greenwood, where short services will be conducted.

Scraps of News

WILD STRAWBERRIES.

Wild strawberries are said to be very plentiful and unusually fine in quality this year.

EGGS ARE CHEAPER.

Fresh eggs were being quoted at 35 cents a dozen Tuesday. Home grown gooseberries are 10 cents a box and home grown strawberries are 25 cents. The cost of sugar does not make gooseberries a popular fruit this year although the bushes are loaded.

SAW WOMEN PLOWING.

A Decatur motorist in driving through Illini township one day recently saw three women plowing. They were using sulky plows and were doing their "lands" as rapidly as the men who were working in the same fields.

HOW TO SAVE GAS.

The Bureau of Mines at Washington, has sent a number of "Save-the-Gasoline" hangers to the Association of Commerce to be distributed in the community. The hanger has a number of suggestions showing how gasoline is wasted in preventable ways.

ENTERS ARMY.

Rex A. Brennan, son of Mrs. Ed Garver, 1283 South Illinois street, left Tuesday for Danville, and from there goes to camp at Atlanta, Ga., having enlisted in the army.

SEND CLOTHES HOME.

Truck loads of hand bags, suit cases and other kinds of personal baggage coming back by express indicate soldier boys that have discarded citizen clothes for khaki and olive drab and are sending their own clothes home.

MEMORIAL SERMON.

Rev. A. P. Cobb preached the Memorial sermon before the G. A. R. Post of Hindsboro last Sunday. He will deliver the Decoration Day address at Oakland next Thursday.

IN MEDICAL CORPS

Harry Clifton of Argenta, who has been employed in The Review circulation department, and Floyd Likens of Argenta, have enlisted in the medical corps and leave tonight for Jefferson Barracks, Mo.

C COMPANY MEETS.

C Company, Illinois Reserve Militia, commanded by Sergeant Orlando Overstake,, will meet at the armory at 2:30 Thursday afternoon to participate in the Memorial day parade. The reserve militia will also take part in the parade for drafted men on Thursday evening.

DEATHS.

MRS. JULIANNA KELLER.

Mrs. Julianna Keller died early Tuesday afternoon at the home of her son, Dr. Vincent Keller, 563 South Broadway, after an illness of two weeks. She had lived in Decatur for the last five years, coming here from Morrisonville.

She was born in Germany, but came to America when young. She was seventy years old. She leaves the following children: Joseph and Frank of Farmersville, Leo of Witt, Mrs. Mollie Appenzeller of Decatur, and Mrs. Lena Waggoner of Decatur, and Mrs. Wiliam Deister of Morrisonville.

The funeral will be announced later.

FUNERALS.

THOMAS SANDERSON.

The funeral of Thomas Sanderson, well known Mueller factor, employe, was held at 4 o'clock Monday afternoon at St. Patrick's Catholic church. There was a large attendance. The services were conducted by Rev. Father J. Murphy.

The music was furnished by Miss Margaret Muleady and Mrs. Leo Hayes. Many beautiful floral tributes were sent.

The pallbearers were George Carson, George Gillen and H. F. Hansen of the Loyal Order of Moose, and Roy B. Fease, Robert E. Urfer and Louis Fagan, employes of the H. Mueller Manufacturing company. The interment was in Calvary.

JOHN E. OTT, SR.

The funeral of John E. Ott, Sr., will be held at 2:30 o'clock Wednesday afternoon at the residence, 153 West Macon street, and at 3 o'clock at St. Paul's German Lutheran church. The services will be conducted by Rev. Theodore Lohrmann. The interment will be in Greenwood.

MATTHEW SMITH SR.

The funeral of Matthew Smith, Sr. was held at 9 o'clock Tuesday morning at St. Patrick's Catholic church. There was a large attendance of old friends. The services were conducted by Rev. Father J. Murphy.

The music was furnished by Miss Margaret Muleady and Miss Alberta Condell.

The flowers were in charge of Miss Theresa Gleeson, Miss Pet Cramer, Miss Marie Welch and Miss Ella Phillips.

The pallbearers were Thomas Butler, Frank Butler, Patrick Butler, Edward Young, Frank Smith and Thomas Kirby. The interment was in Calvary.

All Day Sewing of Mothers.

The Associated Mothers of Soldiers and sailors will meet for an all day sewing Wednesday at the home of Mrs. B. A. Benson, 116 West Packard street. Each woman will bring her own lunch.

People You Know

Conductor Dwight Bump of the Wabash returned to duty Monday after ten days' absence with the measles.

James C. Slaughter is visiting his mother, Mrs. J. L. Pearsall of 1511 North Calhoun street. He is on his way to Atlantic City.

Mrs. Mary C. Wykoff and daughter, Linnie of Pueblo, Colo., are visiting Mrs. Wykoff's brother, H. W. Dill, and family.

MEETINGS.

Golden Crown Camp, 129, R. N. A.—Regular meeting tonight at 8 o'clock in the K. P. hall, Powers building.

$65,000 GIFT TO FINISH HOSPITAL WING

Millikin Estate Trustees Announce New Appropriation —Will Fill War Need

Announcement was made Tuesday morning of a gift of $65,000 by the trustees of the James Millikin estate to the Decatur and Macon county hospital. This is to finish the wing for which a gift of $100,000 was made by the trustees about a year ago. The payment will be made in three annual installment from the income of the estate.

TO FINISH WING.

About the time the gift was made, a year ago and plans were started for the wing prices of everything connected with building began to rise. It was thought by leaving unfinished some important features of the wing that the building could be completed with the original gift. However, prices went up much faster than the changes could be made, so that before the roof was on it began to be a question as to whether or not even the walls and roof could be finished with the original gift.

The trustees of the James Millikin estate could see that if the original gift was to be made available for the needs of the hospital it was absolutely necessary to make another appropriation to it. It is calculated that the amount now given will finish the building and make it available for use.

WAR NEED.

Another fact that appeared to the trustees in making the gift was that there may be a war need for more hospital room. After men begin coming back wounded from France, it will be the desire of every community to take care of as many of its own men as possible. This added to the necessity for increased hospital facilities that was already evident at the institution was another argument that decided the trustees to make the second gift. The new wing will just about double the capacity of the hospital, making it possible to take care of 120 patients where sixty-five are now being accommodated.

IMPORTANT TO COMMUNITY.

To people of Decatur the gift is of added interest and importance as a demonstration that while the community is doing more than its part on all war undertakings it is not standing still on other big and vital improvements. It is curtailing in many directions but in such matters as this it is going ahead so that when the war is over it will still be up with the times in important respects, and have the facilities that will be necessary to the development of a big city.

In this connection mention might be made of the understaning that exists in the city council that the water impounding proposition must be carried out. Action by the council Tuesday favored the paving of streets necessary to make the fullest use of the Prairie avenue subway.

4 Minute Men Speak Tonight

The four-minute men will have for their subject tonight "The Danger to America." They will be as follows.

American, 8:30—J. R. Fitzgerald.
Avon, 8:15—J. J. Maloney.
Bijou, 8:30—W. A. Ivey.
Crescent, 8.00—E. P. Imboden.
Crystal, 7:45—W. W. Woolums.
Empress, 8:15—W. J. Carey.
Lincoln Square, 7:45—A. A. Jones.
Orpheum, 8.00—Arthur Kinkade.
Paris, 8.00—A. R. Ivens.

The regular meeting of the four-minute men will be held at the Council of Defense rooms at 7:30 p. m. Friday.

DR. FRANK FOX SEES BIG CROPS

Decatur Minister is Home From West.

"I never saw such crops," said Rev. Frank Fox, who returned Tuesday morning from a visit to Colorado. "I am familiar with the west and I never saw it looking as well.

"The wheat looks fine everywhere. All are talking of the prospects of big crops. Every state is ahead of the usual thing at this time. They are plowing corn in Dakota, where the corn looks better than about Central Illinois."

AT PRAYER MEETING

Rev. Fox will be in charge of the Wednesday evening prayer service at the Congregational church. The subject will be "Prayer in War Time."

DEDICATE TREE AT LINCOLN SCHOOL

Exercises For G. A. R. Will Begin At 2 O'clock.

The dedication of a tree to the G. A. R. will take place at 2 o'clock Wednesday afternoon at the Lincoln school.

The exercises will begin at 2 o'clock when the G. A. R. veterans will arrive. The children will march out of the building singing "Marching Through Georgia." After they have taken their places around the tree, R. C. Augustine will present the tree to the G. A. R. and it will be dedicated. Mr. Yarnell will give the speech of acceptance, and R. Augustine will make a response to his talk. "America" and "Star Spangled Banner" will then be sung.

After the exercises outdoors the crowd will go into the building, where W. F. Calhoun will make an address. Afterwards the W. R. C. will present to the school a handsome flag, Mrs. Inez J. Bender making the presentation. The response in behalf of the school will be made by Mrs. Inez J. Bender.

JOHN PASOLD TO FT. THOMAS

John Pasold son of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Pasold, 506 W. Macon street, leaves next Thursday with the Decatur contingent of drafted men for camp at Fort Thomas, Ky.

Mr. Pasold has been engaged with his father in the stone contracting business for the last four years and is very well known in Decatur.

Roach Mothers Elect.

The Mothers' club of the Roach school will have its annual election of officers Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 at the school. The regular sewing for the Red Cross at the school will be postponed until the following Wednesday.

COMPANY H TO DRILL TONIGHT

One of Features at The Pines.

Military drills, folk and esthetic dancing and a patriotic club drill will be features of the first of a series of community social events at The Pines this summer which will take place tonight.

Co. H, Illinois National Guard, will give an exhibition military drill, five girls from the Decatur Musical College, Nadine Ruck, Vanette Lewis, Irene Dressen, Dorothy Bray and Louise Ryda, will give folk dances, a group of Miss Mollie Grubel's little dancers from Millikin will dance and thirty girls from the high school will put on a patriotic club drill.

SOCIAL EVENT.

The event is strictly a social and is not a part of any money raising plan although there will be booths where ice cream, popcorn and war candies may be purchased.

The events will take place on the spacious and beautiful lawn at the Pines about sunset and there will be moving pictures shown in the open after dark. "Les Miserables" and the "Wizard of Oz" will be the film shown.

The affair is simply a community get together event and there will be no admission charge of any kind.

FOUR MORE MEN ENLIST IN NAVY

Local Recruiting Office Proves a Busy Place.

Four more names were added to the list of men enlisting at the local recruiting station Monday evening and Tuesday morning. These were as follows.

L. C. Crow, 917 West King street.
Alfred A. Nieman, Carlinville.
Paul Knofski, R. F. D. No. 8, Decatur.
Robert S. Murray, Pana.

There is still a rush of young men who come under the new draft registration next month but many of them find they are still a little under weight. In order to get into any branch of naval service, it is necessary for one to weigh 128 pounds.

"OVER THE TOP" SHOP DONATIONS

Everybody is helping get ready for opening the "Over the Top" shop for the benefit of the Red Cross. Not a one approached for anything has yet refused. Quite a number of firms have volunteered supplies or work and others are giving equipment. Articles for the shop continue to be offered. The shop is to be opened just as soon as the room can be put in order.

The following special donations have been made to date.

E. L. Harris & Company, putting plumbing in order.

Paper for room furnished by Linn & Scruggs and Spence and Pease.

Awning by Decatur Tent and Awning company.

Showcase and shelves from Pierce & Caldwell.

Showcase for fancy work from Walrus company.

Painting outside the building Songer, painter.

Lights Decatur Railway & Light company.

ROY WALTERS REACHES FRANCE

Mrs. Mary Walters, 1060 West Forest street, has just received word that her son, Roy Walters, has arrived safely overseas. He is with the Supply company, 129th Infantry, 33rd Division. He left A. C. S. seaport on May 10. He says that he will give full details of the trip later in letter.

Lawrence Redman, formerly a printer at the Herald, has arrived safely in France according to word received by Decatur friends. He is a member of Company C, 129th U. S. Infantry.